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Horse show

Library mural unveiled Friday

BY RICHARD MEEK

Under brilliant blue skies and to the roars of approval, "Renaissance, The Revival of a Community," was unveiled Friday at the Hancock County Library in Bay St. Louis.

Artist Elizabeth Veglia, who designed and created the mural, beamed with pride as those attending the unveiling inspected the work.

More than 200 area residents participated in creating the mural, made possible through a partial grant from the Mississippi Arts Commission.

The mural depicts a panoramic view of Bay St. Louis, Waveland and other parts of Hancock county. The mural was put together in a separate building and brought over last Tuesday and Wednesday to the library.

From there, volunteers, using mortar, were able to place the mural on the side of the library that faces Ulman Avenue.

"Most of the historic buildings along the beach road are depicted in the mural," Veglia said.

The name, "Renaissance," denotes the rebirth of a community from disaster, such as Hurricane Camille, Veglia said.

The Library Foundation of Hancock County undertook the projects to create a "mosaic mural that reflected the culture and history of Bay St. Louis and Hancock County," library officials said.

The mural reflects the historic buildings along the beach in Bay St. Louis, with

a Krewe of Real People parade winding through the city. There are also such places as Jean Lafitte's Pirate House in Waveland that was destroyed in Camille, St. Rose de Lima Church, St. Mary's Cemetery and St. Stanislaus High School.

The unveiling began with Library System Director Prima Plauché thanking the many contributors to the project.

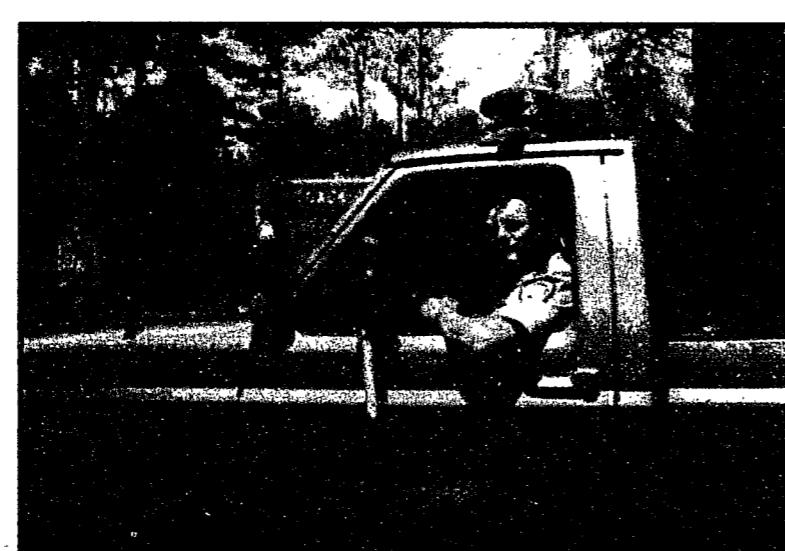
Veglia, a local artist known nationally and regionally for her mosaic murals, also expressed her thanks and appreciation to her volunteers, especially artistic assistant Marie Lamb.



Marie Lamb shows points of interest on the mural. (Echo photos by Richard Meek)



Volunteers on Wednesday completed putting up the mural at the Hancock County Library.



McLeod ranger

Roland D. Lee, a Hancock County native who grew up in the Flat Top Community, is the new Park Ranger for McLeod Park. He says his main goal is to maintain the family and friendly atmosphere of the camping and recreational facility located off Hwy 603 on the Jourdan River. (Echo staff photo by Ed Lepoma)

Improvements targeted to aid McLeod Park

BY ED LEPOMA

Good things are happening at McLeod Park, Hancock County's camping and recreational reservation conveniently located off Interstate 10 and Highway 603.

Just last week, the Board of Supervisors hired a new park ranger, and plans are in the works to completely widen and repave the part-clay, part asphalt, pot-holed laden Texas Flat Road, by which campers enter the watersite park from

Hwy. 603.

And, construction will begin soon on a modern bath house that will be handicapped accessible.

Board of Supervisors President Philip Moran said supervisors have asked the U.S. Corps of Engineers for help on two fronts. He said the corps is considering both requests.

The county is seeking funds to stop erosion of the shoreline along the Jourdan River fronting the park, and has asked en-

gineers to help dredge out the mouth of the river where it dumps into the Bay of St. Louis. Hopefully, the projects will stop flooding of the park and nearby homes during heavy rains, Moran said.

And, District 4 Supervisor Steve Seymour said there is \$500,000 set aside for the road work in the state-aid road budget to widen and repave Texas Flat Road, the only artery lead-

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New United Way home

The United Way of South Mississippi (UWSM) will hold a ribbon cutting Tuesday at 3 p.m. at its new building at 9524 Creosote Road, Gulfport. The UWSM serves Hancock, Harrison and Pearl River counties. Board members from Hancock County on the UWSM include, David Treutel, Jr. president; Hilda Bourg, Jean Jaumot and Ramos McMillon. (Echo staff photo by Ellis C. Cuevas)

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rants, handed in his resignation April 23.

Roberts, 44, was a reserve officer from 1987, and became full-time in May of 1992.

In a letter to the Mayor and Board of Aldermen, Roberts said, "I have been offered and accepted a more challenging position with another agency."

He said his resignation would be effective May 6, and asked to be compensated "for my two weeks of vacation that I have not taken and any comp time I have accrued."

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OBITUARIES

PELAGIE DEDEAUX
CAPT. G. ROUX DE LA BEAUME

PELAGIE DEDEAUX
Mrs. Pelagie Dedeaux, 92, of Pass Christian, died Saturday, April 27, 1996, in Gulfport.

Mrs. Dedeaux was a native of DeLisle and lived in Pass Christian for many years. She was a member of St. Stephen Catholic Church in DeLisle.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Robert Dedeaux; her parents, Julian and Pelagie Edna Dedeaux; and a son, John Francois Sr.

She was cared for by a grandson, John Francois Jr.

Services were conducted Saturday at St. Stephen Catholic Church. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Lockett-Williams-Hayes Mortuary in Gulfport was in charge of arrangements.

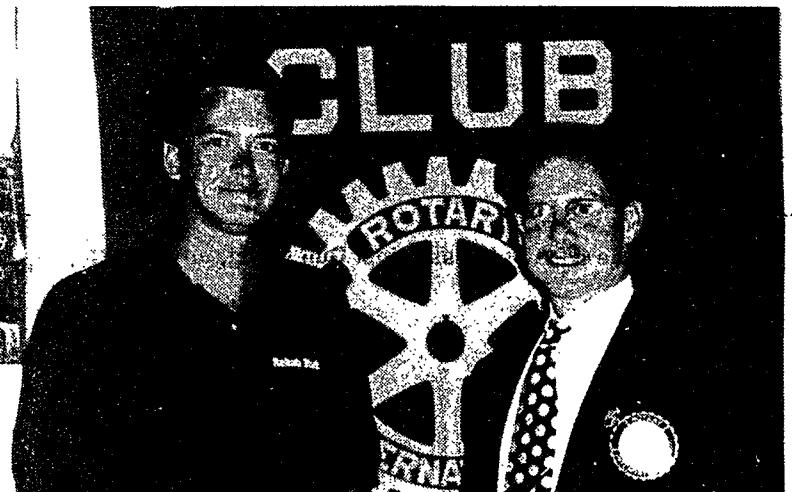
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Several activities are planned at the Hancock County Welcome Center in observance of National Tourism Week, scheduled May 5-10.

A Diamondhead Day at the center is scheduled on May 6, with the Diamondhead Squares scheduled to perform at 10 a.m. On Tuesday, the Retired Senior Volunteer Program will present arts and crafts, a senior citizen pottery group will display its work, and the R.S.V.P. Singers will perform. The hours are 10 a.m.-1:30 p.m.



New Rotarian

Mark Damron, left, was recently included as a new member of the Rotary Club of Diamondhead. He was welcomed by president Patric Wild, right. Damron is the chief operations officer at Rehab One of Diamondhead, a physical, occupational and speech therapy clinic. Rotary Club of Diamondhead meets each Thursday at noon at Days Inn.

Dr. Stephen Ambrose speaks at SSC

Historian, scholar and author Dr. Stephen Ambrose recently spoke to St. Stanislaus juniors and seniors. His discussion was introduced by Brother Malcolm Melcher, SC, who recollects the week-long NBC television commemoration of the 50th anniversary of the Allied Forces' invasion of Normandy in which Tom Brokaw was the commentator at Omaha Beach and Dr. Ambrose was his history expert and consultant on 'D-Day + 50 Years.'

Dr. Ambrose spoke to a few history classes, prompting enrichment in their understanding of the dangerous travels of the modern 19th century pioneer. He spoke on the relations of Lewis and Clark with the native Americans as well as their encounters with the unexplored terrain. He left the students with such quotes as, "A good leader pushes his men to places they did not know they could go without pushing them over the limit."

Ambrose has done extensive research on territories in the northwestern United States.

Clarification

Former Hancock County School Supt. Myrna Bourgeois said she contacted the federal Environmental Protection Agency, and the state Department of Environmental Quality "and someone else with DEQ" last fall amid accusations there was illegal dumping at the county rubbish site in Standard.

"But, because it was an election year, nobody investigated," said Bourgeois.

Solve sleep problems

Capt. Roux de la Beaume, a native of Gulfport, was retired from the U.S. Air Force. He was a member of Trinity Episcopal Church in Pass Christian, and was former president of the Henderson Point/Pass Christian Isles Civic Association.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Eleanor Florence Anna Roux de la Beaume; his parents, Henry Roux de la Beaume and Mary Roux de la Beaume.

Survivors include two sons and daughters-in-law, Henry and Heather Roux de la Beaume of Long Beach; and Hanlan and Shannan Roux de la Beaume of Pass Christian Isles; a daughter and son-in-law, Deborah Roux and Daryl Babin of Seabrook, Texas; a sister, Janet Galen of Pass Christian; and four grandchildren.

Visitation will be today from 6-9 p.m. at Riemann Funeral Home Chapel in Pass Christian. Funeral Services will be conducted at 10 a.m. Monday at Trinity Episcopal Church, followed by burial in Live Oak Cemetery.

The family prefers memorials to MHG Hospice, P.O. Box 1810, Gulfport, MS 39502.

Despite the time constraints we face due to Congress' late passage of the Farm Bill, the Department of Agriculture and the Farm Service Agency is working hard to get accurate information to producers and the public as quickly as possible," Gennin said.

"I must stress that this is the only opportunity producers are going to have to enroll. Those who fail to do so now will not be eligible at a later date.

The 1996 Farm Bill restricted signup for Production Flexibility Contracts to a one-time opportunity. The only exception will be for land coming out of the Conservation Reserve Program.

Congress did not give the Secretary of Agriculture discretion to extend the signup period or open up additional signup periods at a later date.

"Farms with a planting history in one of the past five years of wheat, corn, grain sorghum, barley, oats, upland cotton or rice are eligible to be enrolled in this program," Gennin said.

"Production flexibility contracts are not available for ELS cotton and oilseeds but marketing assistance loans will be available to producers of these commodities."

Gennin reminded producers that compliance with conservation and wetlands provisions continues to be a condition of participation. Payment limitation rules that were applicable in 1995 will also be applicable to these payments. The total amount of payment a person may receive in any fiscal year may not exceed \$40,000.

Farmers may plant as they wish under the program, but fruits or vegetables may not be planted on contract acres, except under certain circumstances. A producer may enroll all or part of the farm's contract base acreage in the program and, after signup, may request a permanent reduction in the acreage without penalty.

Payment and loan rates will be announced soon.

You toss and turn, but just can't get to sleep. According to Mary Jones, lead registered polysomnographic technologist at NorthShore Regional Medical Center, getting a good night's sleep may not be beyond reach.

Fortunately for those who suffer from mild to serious sleep disorders, relief may be found

under the watchful eye of a polysomnographic technologist. While many people may not know what a polysomnographic technologist does, anyone who has overcome a sleep disorder knows all too well the contributions of this profession.

"Sleep disorders are among the more common medical complaints in our society," says Jones. "A large percentage of adults struggle with some form of sleep disorder."

According to Mike Veach, polysomnographic technologist at NorthShore Regional, the technologist monitors several simultaneous tests while the patient sleeps.

"We study the recordings of eye movement, brain waves, muscle tone, airflow and the patient's effort to breathe," says Veach.

"Because so many people are unaware of polysomnography and what the profession has to offer," says Jones, "we hope to increase public awareness and lead to the prevention or diagnosis and treatment of sleep problems."

NorthShore Regional has four polysomnographic technologists in The Sleep Disorder Center.

To learn more about polysomnography or sleep disorders, contact Mary Jones at (504) 646-7211.

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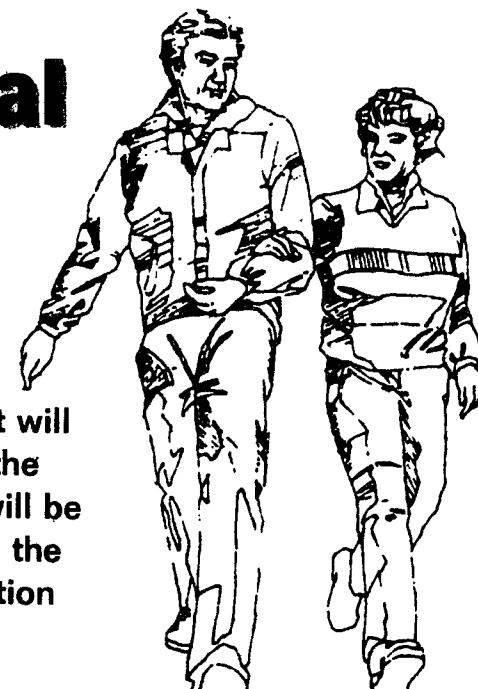
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Cell phones give school link

BY TRACI BONNEY

Schools across the United States are linking up with cellular phones.

One of the Pass Christian city schools — either the elementary or middle school — may join those ranks soon.

Keith White and Cary Trapani from Cellular South broached the subject with the Pass Christian School Board at its April 24 recess meeting. White said the Pass Christian school district is one of two in Mississippi under consideration for the ClassLink cellular phone system.

The system allows teachers to use a cellular micro system on the school campus, at no cost to the school (Cellular South is donating the air time and Panasonic is contributing the equipment), to contact other faculty or staff in the school or to call parents and information resources outside the school.

White said the only cost, if any, to the school may be the installation of additional phone lines. The ClassLink system works as an addition to the existing phone system, which means it has to access phone

lines to provide incoming and outgoing calling from within the ClassLink coverage area to the outside world.

Marcia Garziano, the school district's financial officer, said that additional phone lines may cost about \$50 each, plus a one-time installation fee of \$100, judging from costs of some recent line installations in the district's central office. White said the ClassLink school will probably need two more lines.

White explained, "The only costs to the school would be the line installations and any long-distance calls, which would be billed through the school's regular long-distance carrier."

"This system only acts like a cellular system outside the school campus. The phones have a chip in them that tells them whether they are on- or off-campus. Teachers who want personal cellular service can subscribe to it, and use the school phones (with the school's approval) instead of having to purchase or rent a unit," he added.

White told the school board that the school which is selected for the program will receive a

base station, 20 Motorola cellular phones, plus needed equipment to give the school computer access to the Internet via ClassLink.

"The criteria for the school selection is school need, school size and the cost — for the school and for Cellular South — of implementing the program," White said.

"We've narrowed it down to two Coast school districts (Pass Christian and Moss Point). Panasonic will do the site surveys May 7 and 8, and will make recommendations based on those surveys," he added.

Trapani said the ClassLink system will operate on cellular channels that aren't in use in the Cellular South system at present.

The ClassLink program was initiated by the Cellular Telecommunications Industry Association (CTIA).

Suzi Hays of Cellular South said, "The CTIA has committed one ClassLink system for each state in 1996. The system provides instant communications for teachers — it's better than a public address system because the cellular system can reach a

teacher anywhere on the school grounds, be it the classroom, the cafeteria, library, playground or bus stop.

"A teacher can call the principal, school nurse, librarian, custodian or even a parent when a situation arises, instead of having to send for assistance or wait until after school. It's been estimated that teachers save 15% days of teaching time per year with the system," she added.

Richardson West Junior High in Richardson, Texas, was the first school in the nation to go cellular. A survey of students, teachers and parents revealed that almost everyone involved in the project thought it was beneficial.

According to the survey, some 96 percent of the faculty reported that the cellular phones helped them perform their jobs more effectively, and three-fourths of the faculty reported the cellular phones allowed them greater access to outside resources.

Students surveyed said they felt safer, more in touch with their parents and teachers, and less disrupted by the phones than by student/teacher messengers.

Parents also said they felt that their children were safer with the cellular phones in the classroom, felt more in touch with their children and the teachers, and expressed the opinion that learning conditions were improved.

Hays said the Pass Christian and Moss Point school boards should know by June which school will join the ClassLink system.

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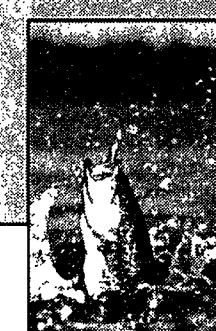
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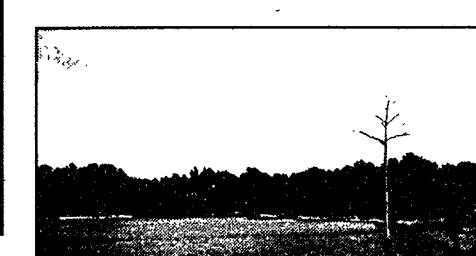
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"CUEVAS' QUOTES"

By Ellis C. Cuevas

The talk of the town is the mosaic mural at the City County Library, Ulman Avenue, Bay St. Louis.

I feel New York does not have a mosaic mural that surpasses the one we have in our community.

The mural was created and designed by Elizabeth Veglia and Marie Lamb and made possible through a grant from the Mississippi Arts Commission.

The project involved some 200 residents of Bay St. Louis, Waveland and Hancock County, who created their own designs for the mural under Veglia's direction.

The mural depicts the historical buildings, events and items of interest within the community.

Every resident of the area needs to take the time to stop by the library and view the mural. I feel they will really be surprised how beautiful it is.

The mosaic mural is part of the library's "Renaissance — The Revival of a Community," and a project of the Library Foundation of Hancock County.

You, too, can be a part of the arts project by contributing to the Library Foundation, and names of donors will be placed on a permanent plaque that will be mounted next to the mural.

For further information, contact Mary Perkins, 467-6836.

Congratulations to our soccer players from the Bay Area Soccer League in placing five teams to compete in championship play next weekend.

Soccer is becoming more popular each year in our area.

I wish all of the teams the best in the state championship play next weekend.

Let us not forget all of the players, coaches and managers in the BAYS League, because without them we would not have five teams competition for state championships.

It takes a lot of dedication on everyone's part.

I know there are many soccer families who go to every game to see their children play, so hats off to them, too.

Best of luck to everyone.

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Q What Mississippi woman scientist was a co-discoverer of the world's first antifungal antibiotic and is one of only four women of 128 members who have been inducted into the National Inventors Hall of Fame?

A Elizabeth Lee Hazen, a graduate of Mississippi University for Women, who later became one of the first women doctoral candidates in bacteriology at Columbia University collaborated with chemist, Rachel Fuller Brown, to develop nystatin. Both worked for the New York State Department of Health. The royalties, over \$13 million by the time the patent expired - were donated to academic science under the auspices of the Research Corporation, a foundation for the advancement of science. Hazen and Brown were the second and third of four women to be inducted into the National Inventors Hall of Fame, whose membership includes Alexander Graham Bell and Thomas Edison. They were inducted posthumously in 1994. They also received the American Institute of Chemists' Chemical Pioneer award in 1957, the first women to receive this distinction. The institute had to amend its bylaws in order to honor Hazen, a non-chemist. Just another way Mississippi Universities are making sure we know more.

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ASK THE V.A.

By Donald Mauffray
CVSO

Miscellaneous Q's & A's

other benefits.

Q I am a mortgage banker and my office has several VA buyers who need an adjustable rate loan to buy the home they want. What is the latest on reinstating the adjustable rate home loan program?

A This program expired when Congress failed to pass a proposal for a 9-day extension before Sept. 30.

Meanwhile, VA will honor loans for veterans who have commitments for ARMS (Adjustable Rate Mortgages) from lenders on or before Sept. 30, 1995.

VA will continue to work with Capitol Hill on possible legislation making the ARM program permanent.

Q Can I be granted disability compensation from the VA for a medical condition that was directly caused by medication prescribed by VA for my service-connected disability?

A Yes. You should file a tort claim for service-connection for the secondary condition as being due to, or the result of, the original disease or injury.

Q I was a Reservist called to serve in the Persian Gulf War. I was told that I may qualify for some VA benefits if I served on active duty during the war for at least 90 days.

A I was on active duty for 89 days. Can I count the two days it took me to travel from where I was discharged to my home to give me the necessary active duty to apply for a VA pension?

A Yes, provided the travel time is confirmed by the service department. Travel time from place of discharge to your address of record may be counted for the purpose of qualifying for a pension and certain

Q I receive military retirement pay for my 25 years in the army. I also receive disability compensation from VA for a 40-percent disability I received during service. What is the advantage of having my military retirement pay reduced by the amount of my VA disability compensation?

A Disability compensation is not subject to federal income tax. You are, however, required to pay income tax on regular retirement pay.

Q I'm a retired Army captain and have applied for disability compensation from VA. Will my compensation be based on my military pay grade?

A No. Compensation rates are set according to the degree of disability, regardless of rank or pay grade.

Q I was wounded when I bailed out of my plane and subsequently was held prisoner of war for 10 months. I was marched from one camp to another in Germany for 86 days. After being liberated, I was so happy to get my discharge that I did not make any claims, but now I need medical treatment for diabetes and arthritis. Can VA help me?

A Former prisoners of war (POWs) are eligible for hospital care for any disability within the VA health care system. Whether they have a VA adjudicated service-connected disability or not, former POWs are exempt from VA's income "means testing" which governs access to inpatient care for other nonservice-connected veterans.

IN CONGRESS

By Rep. Gene Taylor

Taylor supports taxpayer fairness

Many South Mississippians have contacted me with their concerns regarding our federal tax system. I am pleased to tell them that during my seven years in Congress, I have consistently voted against tax increases. In fact, I voted for two measures recently in the House to help out American taxpayers.

On April 15, I voted for the constitutional amendment offered in the House which would make it more difficult to raise taxes. The amendment would have required a super majority of two-thirds rather than a simple majority to raise taxes. Unfortunately the amendment fell short of two-thirds required to approve constitutional amendments.

On April 16, I voted for the Taxpayer Bill of Rights, which did pass the House. This bill amends the Internal Revenue code of 1986 to provide for increased taxpayer protections. Particularly, in certain situations, it shifts the burden of proof from taxpayer to the IRS.

When it comes to our current tax system, South Mississippians say the bottom line is fairness. I agree that our tax system needs serious work. There are a couple of versions being considered. However, before a decision is made we must seriously consider all factors to ensure fairness.

The chairman of the House Committee on Ways and Means, Congressman Bill Archer (R-TX), has held his first hearing on doing away with the current income tax structure and replacing it with some type of consumption tax. Chairman Archer plans to hold additional hearings and introduce some sort of consumption tax legislation in the fall.

There are two main types of

consumption taxes. The valued added tax would tax goods as they make their way through production. For example, when iron ore is processed into steel, that steel is formed into a car chassis, and that car comes out of the factory, each step is taxed on the value added to the product.

The other form of consumption tax is a national sales tax. All goods and services would be taxed at the point of sale or as services are rendered. Both a national sales tax and a value added tax would then be passed on to the consumer.

The idea of replacing the income and business tax code with a flat tax has also become popular. There are many versions of a flat tax being offered. A flat tax would be based on an across-the-board percentage.

While I do support overhauling our complex tax code, it is too early to decide which plan would be fairest to the American taxpayers. How will the families be affected if the tax deductions for mortgage interest are eliminated?

We must also keep in mind the effects of a flat tax on the budget. Will a consumption tax increase the deficit and add to the national debt? No one really knows. In the rush to scrap the tax code and make one that is easy to understand and fair for all, we should first think this one out.

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REFLECTIONS ON LIFE

By Father Jerome
LeDoux, SVD

John McSherry started the day out more or less as usual, although he planned to check with the doctor on the morrow about an irregular heartbeat. Listed at 328 pounds, those close to him were convinced he weighed a lot more.

His history of medical problems came to a climax on April Fool's Day of 1996 when he was two minutes into umpiring the top of the first inning of the Dodgers/Red baseball game. He turned toward the tunnel, falling face-first on the track.

The other umpires covered their faces, while the players and the coaches went weak, converging in great anxiety. Doctors in the stands rushed to McSherry's aid, trying in vain to revive their fallen hero who never regained consciousness.

Everyone watching the game on TV could only imagine the awful shock of the 58,000 fans in the stadium at the moment of McSherry's fatal fall. It was numbing, chilling, triggering the first postponement of an opening game due to death.

As I watched the news rerun, I felt pain for John McSherry and his family, I felt anguish and I felt cheated and angry. The anger surprised me somewhat, but then it did not. It was directed toward his death-inducing pathological obesity.

A veritable parade of names flashed before me: stars as well as everyday people who had been wasted in similar and untimely fashion by abuse of food, of drink, of nicotine and other chemicals. This was unnecessary, a total waste of life.

Not many days before the McSherry tragedy, my friend Labertha had handed me a cardboard cylinder containing fresh herbs. "Here is some fresh mint and fresh rosemary," she offered. "Maybe it will give you a few extra hours."

Her cryptic statement would make no sense to anyone but me. To me, it meant the ongoing pursuit of her mission to help me live as long as possible. She has brought me bee pollen and propolis to eat as dynamic additives to regular food.

Then there is aloe vera of the food grade variety which she has also supplied, as an additional aid to more vibrant health. Whenever she sees me, she looks me up and down, appraising and calculating what it will take to strengthen me.

It all goes back to what she read in the Bible concerning the life span of people on earth. "Man's days shall comprise one hundred and twenty years" (Gen. 6: 3).

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Of course, this far-out target can hardly be achieved without a great deal of study, understanding, planning, determination, difficult choices and sacrifices. Which makes it all seem much more trouble than it is worth at first blush.

Bluntly, it means studying the interplay of food manage-

ment, exercise and rest. It means swallowing hard when told that all animal fats, for all their good taste, are lethal. It means abandoning red meat, pork, and preferably, all meat.

Yes, it means turning away from sugar in any form, despite the allure of innumerable desserts, confitures, candies and sundry salivating sugar-based preparations of various foods.

With John McSherry and countless obese Americans in mind, it means more raw fruits and raw vegetables than cooked food.

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COOKING UP A STORM

By Katy McGuire
Caire

There's a very old Mexican recipe known as "Pollos Borrachos" or "Drunken Turdoves," the theory being that the birds grow tipsy from the wine in the pan in which they are cooked, so my hostess told me one evening, long years ago, in Monterey.

I use Rock Cornish Hens or chicken quarters for this dish, cooking them at times atop the stove, at others en casserole in the oven. And, if you think of Mexican cuisine as all fiery peppers and frijoles (refried beans) you'll be pleasantly surprised at the nuances of flavor in this and many other Mexican dishes. Here's:

POLLOS BORRACHOS
1 broiler chicken, quartered, approximately 3 lbs. or less
Pepper, salt to your taste
1 close garlic, crushed
2 to 3 tsp. fresh parsley
2 tsp. sesame seeds
1/2 cup slivered almonds
Oil as needed

Dash of cloves (approximately 1/4 tsp.)
Small stick of cinnamon
1 cup dry sherry
2 Tbsp. vinegar
15 or so slivered of sliced ripe olives

Sprinkle pepper, along with salt if you're using it, on the chicken quarters and set them aside while you saute the garlic, parsley and sesame seeds in a little oil for 4 or 5 minutes, along with the slivered almonds. Add the chicken and cook over medium heat until light brown all over.

Add the bay leaf, cloves and cinnamon and cook for a minute or so. Add the sherry vinegar and olives, and simmer, covered for three-fourths of an hour or a little more until tender. (4 servings)

In some regions of Old Mexico I have enjoyed this dish with raisins and tomatoes added, and with green olives replacing the ripe olives. You may prefer to use ground cinnamon in place of the cinnamon stick; just vary

the ingredients according to your taste.

And, when I'm lazy or in a hurry, I give a more tangy Mexican touch to:

SALSA CHICKEN
4 boneless, skinless chicken breasts
1 jar (16 oz.) chunky salsa, tomato based

1/2 tsp. oregano, same of garlic powder, optional

In a medium skillet, combine the salsa, oregano and garlic powder. Add chicken breasts and simmer, covered, over medium heat until chicken is done, stirring occasionally. (4 servings)

You may prefer to use the drumsticks and thighs; just allow a little more cooking time. Breast quarters or wings are good in the dish as well; adjust salsa quantities and cooking times.

P.S. When I'm not lazy or pressed for time, I make up the salsa "from scratch."

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Opportunities available for disabled

Over 37,000 persons in Mississippi are affected by a developmental disability — that is, they have a substantial limitation in at least three of the following categories: Hearing, speech, vision, learning, mobility, self-care and self-direction.

Functionally and practically speaking, these persons and their families will face obstacles in education, employment and in social settings. In times past, these citizens would have remained isolated from the rest of society. However, a new day has dawned in Mississippi.

Opportunities are broadening for Mississippians with developmental disabilities to work, live, and socialize within the community. It is becoming commonplace to find people with disabilities working in the community, earning competitive wages. As the negative stereotypes begin to dissolve, more businesses are hiring these employees and realizing the skills they possess.

Consider Charlotte, who is now 29 years old. She attended special education classes in the public school system and graduated with a certificate of attendance at age 21. Charlotte wanted to live in her own apartment and knew she would have to work to pay the bills.

With the help of The Arc/MS Supported Employment program and a Vocational Rehabilitation counselor, she has been employed for six years. Her

employer values her work and holds co-workers up to the standards Charlotte sets.

She was recently able to buy a car to get her to work, and for the past four years, has been living alone in an apartment full of furniture she bought. Years ago Charlotte would have been one of the many individuals with disabilities considered unemployable, remaining a hidden member of the community.

After an era of being overlooked for service priority and funding for services, there is good news for Mississippians with severe and profound disabilities. The last state to obtain such a program, Mississippi now has a Home and Community Based Services-Mental Retardation/Developmental Disabilities Waiver — a long title that means opportunities for Mississippians with severe disabilities to receive needed services in the home or community instead of an institution.

The program, funded by Medicaid and administered through the Department of Mental Health, provides basic services, such as personal care assistance and speech therapy, and specialized services such as supported employment and pre-vocational services.

The persons served by this program have severe developmental disabilities and may likely be living in institutions without these services. Only

limited numbers of persons can be serviced by this waiver each year, and most of the 198 who are hoping to receive services thus far this year, most are waiting for services.

Although slow to be funded and initiated, this program is beginning to make a difference in many lives. For information on this new service, call the Department of Mental Health in Jackson at 359-1288.

Bob Bond, director of Consumer and Family Services for The Arc of MS, a statewide organization that provides services for persons with developmental disabilities and their families states, "Families for the first time have a choice of either placing their son or daughter in an institution or having services provided in the home or community." For information about The Arc and its services, call 362-4830.

Pastor appreciation service

New Home Missionary Baptist Church pastor's eighth year appreciation service will be held at Pride of Pascagoula Lodge Hall, Tucker Street, Pascagoula on Saturday, May 18 at 7 p.m. The service will be in musical and preaching form.

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TRAVEL & ENTERTAINMENT

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Blueberry Jubilee features noted storytellers June 7-8

The fourth annual Mississippi Blueberry Jubilee Storytelling Festival gets underway June 7 and 8 in Poplarville on the campus of Pearl River Community College.

The event begins June 7 with an intensive storytelling workshop conducted by Nancy Kavanaugh, noted teller from Lithonia, Ga., from 10 a.m.-noon, followed by a day of workshops

and ending that night with a main stage olio, featuring the festival's headline tellers in performance.

On June 8 storytelling moves to downtown Poplarville where amid the expected 12,000 folks attending the 14th annual Blueberry Jubilee many will stop at the Methodist Church Youth Building to hear stories from 23 tellers. Later that day a

family olio will be presented at Moody Auditorium on the college campus followed by a main stage olio performance at 7 p.m. The festival closes with a ghost stories olio beginning at 9:30 p.m.

Doc McConnell from Tucker's Knob, Tenn., will return to Poplarville by special request from those who delighted in his storytelling at the first storytelling festival in 1993. Doc will present a workshop about the early days as a medicine man and will tell tall tales. Doc is a founding member of the National Storytelling Association and still serves on the board after 23 active years in the preservation and perpetuation of storytelling.

Joining Doc will be storyteller Tim Tingle of Dripping Springs, Texas. Tim is a member of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma, and his heritage forms the heart of his storytelling repertoire.

In addition to traditional Choctaw tales of Mississippi bayou creatures and animal tricksters, Tim weaves personal experience stories of his own family's struggle to enter mainstream America in the first half of this century. He has recently visited the Mississippi Band of Choctaws and learned several stories representative of the Mississippi Choctaw heritage.

Nancy Kavanaugh hails from Georgia where she formally began telling stories in 1980. She says that her grandfather always told her she was a storyteller and she believes it just stayed buried for a long time. She teaches extensively in Georgia at local art centers and colleges. She presents storytelling workshops in the Elderhostel program on collecting family stories.

Kavanaugh is a past two-term president of the Southern Order of Storytellers and is a

member of the board of directors of the National Storytelling Association. Kavanaugh will present two workshops on June 7: Twenty Terrific Tips for Tip Top Storytelling and Of Course You're a Storyteller... Look at You Now!

Donna Beasley from Louisville, Ky., like many children growing up, became greatly skilled in the art of "storying." However, listening to "The Story Hour" on the radio every Saturday morning helped her channel her storytelling in a new and different direction.

Beasley has appeared at the Corn Island Storytelling Festival and presented workshops and performances at Pennyrile and Dawson Springs in the Kentucky State Park System.

In 1994, Beasley was awarded the Distinguished Service Award from the international storytelling organization, EARS, for her outstanding contribution to storytelling and the Director's Award in 1995.

She currently serves as the Calendar Editor on the Tale Trader, a nationally known storytelling newspaper. Beasley tells stories from her African American experience and her star does shine brightly as she takes center stage.

Ohio performances are \$5. The family olio on Saturday at 2 p.m. is \$1 child and \$3 adult. Friday afternoon workshops (four sessions) and the evening olio is \$40. The June 7 Nancy Kavanaugh intensive workshop is \$40. Meals are available at the college cafeteria at a cost of breakfast \$4, lunch \$5, dinner \$7. Dormitory lodging is available for \$15 per night.

The public is invited to attend and may receive additional information by calling Hattie Gentry at 601-795-8378 after May 8. For festival information prior to May 8, call Lori at 601-795-6153.

Symphony Pops Orchestra, Dudley Moore in concert

The Mississippi Symphony Pops Orchestra will present a Pops Concert featuring Dudley Moore, pianist, entertainer and comedian. The concert, conducted by Colman Pearce, music director/principal conductor, will held at 8 p.m. Tuesday, May 7, in Thalia Mara (Jackson Municipal) Auditorium.

Dudley Moore is an internationally respected and admired composer and performer, whose celebrated work includes numerous classical and jazz albums, concert performances, and film scores.

Perhaps best known for his highly-acclaimed performances in such feature films as "Foul Play," "10," "Arthur," "Love Sick" and "Micki and Maude," Dudley Moore is also quite well-respected in the world of sym-

phonic music. He has performed with the Los Angeles Philharmonic Orchestra and the St. Paul Chamber Orchestra, among others.

Moore has also performed concerts in Carnegie Hall, New York's Metropolitan Museum of Art, and the Hollywood Bowl. "Orchestra!", his well-received 1989 series of programs concentrating on the visual qualities of orchestral performance, appeared on the Showtime Cable Network and PBS Network.

The program will include Overture to Midsummer Night's Dream, by Felix Mendelssohn; Carnival of the Animals by Camille Saint-Saens; Overture 1712 by Peter Schickele; and Rhapsody in Blue by George Gershwin. Moore will perform the works by Saint-Saens and Gershwin.

A very limited number of tickets to this concert are still available through the Mississippi Symphony Orchestra offices, located in the Arts Center, 201 East Pascagoula Street. Individual tickets range from \$20 to \$38 per seat for adults or \$17-\$33 per seat for students and senior citizens.

For reservations or more information call 1-800-898-5050 within Mississippi.

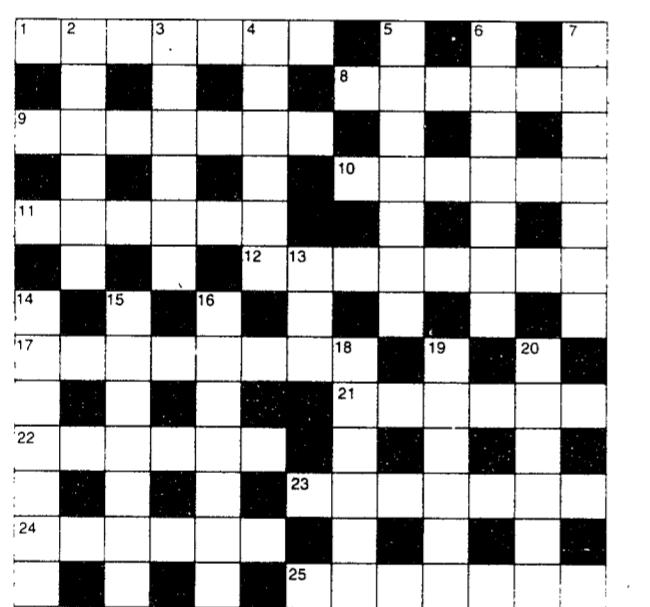
Orchestra to perform

The Mississippi Symphony Chamber Orchestra announces the sixth and final concert in the Connoisseur Series Tuesday, May 14. The Chamber Orchestra, conducted by Colman Pearce, music director/principal conductor, will perform at 8 p.m. in the Academic Complex Recital Hall at Millsaps College.

The concert will feature Mississippi Symphony Orchestra member Darcie Bishop, trumpet. Works to be performed will include Overture in C by Georg Philipp Telemann; Elegy by Robert Starer; Concerto for Trumpet in D by Giuseppe Tartini; Divertimento in D, K 251 by Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart; and Three Latin-American Sketches by Aaron Copland.

Individual tickets are \$12 for adults and \$6 for students and senior citizens. Tickets will be available at the door and may also be purchased in advance through the Symphony office, at 201 East Pascagoula Street, or call 1-800-898-5050 within Mississippi.

Doc McConnell



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Tips on Tipping

Whom do you tip? When? How much? These are the questions that have nagged at travelers since the stagecoach days.

The practice of tipping is meant as a form of thank you for services rendered in many places, such as restaurants, it is the major form of compensation for service providers.

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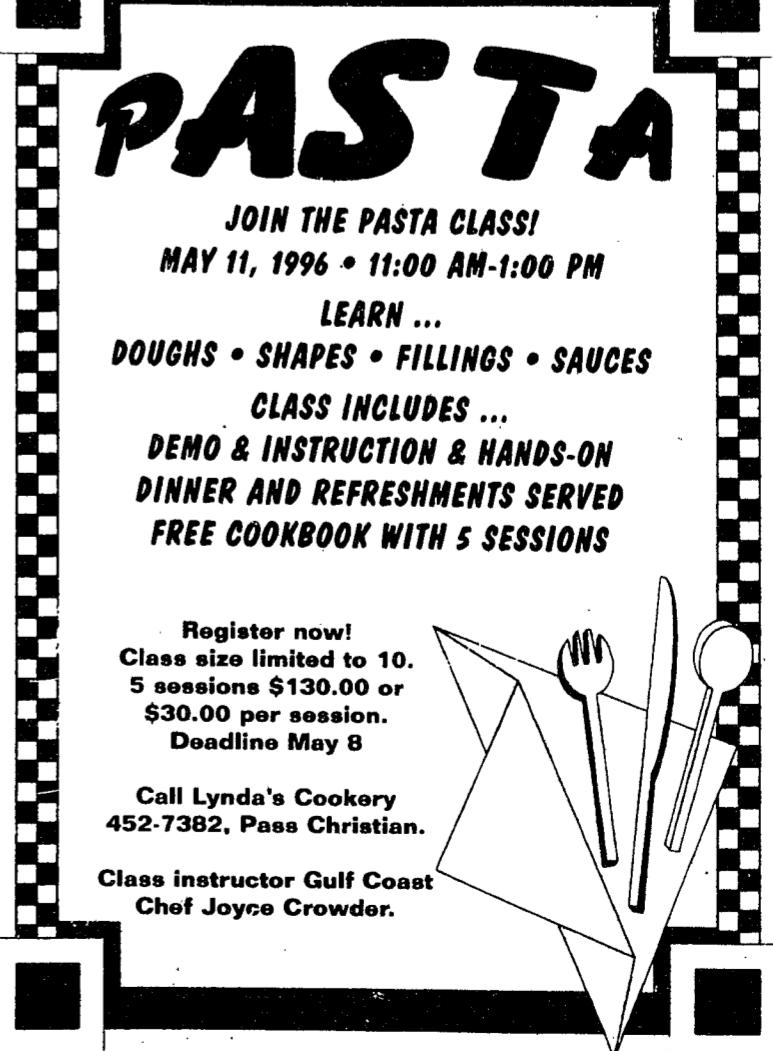
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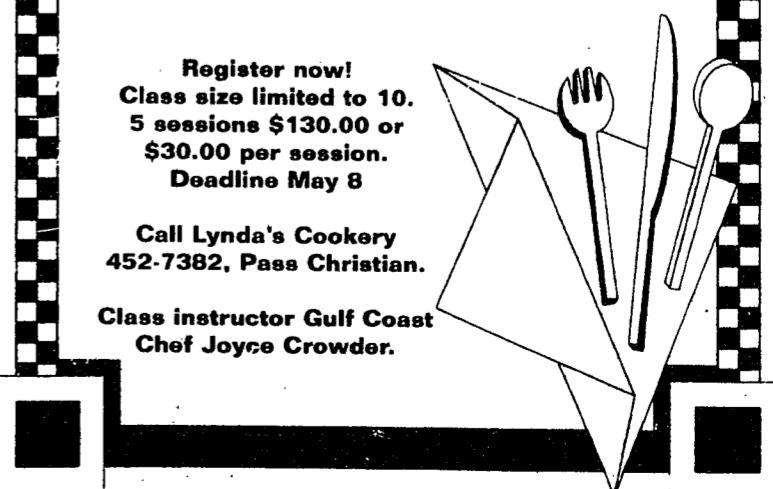
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Final registration for 13-15 Babe Ruth Monday

The final registration for the 13-15 year old Babe Ruth baseball league will be held on Monday, May 6 from 6-7:30pm at the old City Hall building on Second Street in Bay St. Louis.

Anyone signing up after this date will be placed in a players pool and drawn from there.

If there is anyone interested in coaching, please call Frank Pernicaro at 467-5626 or Ronnie Vanney at 467-1864.

PRCC names cheerleading squad

Pearl River Community College has selected its 1996-97 Wildcat cheerleaders.

Sponsor Donna Wilson announced that 12 cheerleaders and the Wildcat mascot earned scholarships during two days of competition last week.

The new Wildcat squad includes Jason Bennett and Randy Melilli of Picayune, Ricky Edwards of Bogalusa, Jennifer Huffstatter of Pascagoula, Tracy Kendrick and Leslie White of Petal; Farnell Keys of Clinton, Myndi Kuhlmann from Hancock High School, Chastity Ladner and Meghan Nodurft of Poplarville, Jamie Rodriguez of Bay St. Louis and Jake White from West Marion High School in Foxworth.

Clint McPahil of Oak Grove was selected Wildcat mascot for the next two years.

The registration fee for new players is \$40 and old players \$30. When registering for the

league the person will need a birth certificate for verification of age.

Any other questions concerning registration please call Frank Pernicaro at 467-5626.



Undefeated season

The Bay Area Youth Soccer League Under-8 "Strikers," coached by Gene Moran and Greg Conn, finished their combined fall and spring seasons with a perfect 15-0 record. The team competed last weekend in the Southern District Jamboree Tournament where they were also undefeated. In addition, the "Strikers" took first place honors in the "skilled events" competition at the tournament. Team members include Paul Keith, front row at left, Madison Laughlin, Rebecca Werner, Chelsea Bradford and Christopher Rogers. Members on the back row are Garrett Conn, at left, Matthew Kivlan, Ryan Hafferty and Kyle Moran.

Rocks snare fourth Division 8 golf title

Special to the Echo

The St. Stanislaus Rock-a-chaw golf team captured their fourth consecutive Division 8 Class 4A tournament championship at Picayune Milbrook course on Tuesday, April 30.

The Rocks shot a team score of 329 followed by runner-up Picayune with a team score of 331. In third place was last year's Class 4A state champion Petal High School with a 332 team score.

Sophomore Andy Jacobsen led the Rocks with a 78 while freshman Jeff Eiken followed with an 81. Sophomore Evan Landry shot an 84 with freshman Chris Genin finished with an 86 to round out the Rocks top

scorers.

Rock mentor and SSC alum Chuck Genin commented on the win. "This was by far the toughest and greatest win for us. The pressure was tremendous and we handled it in a very mature manner."

"It was close throughout with SSC, Petal, Picayune, and Oak Grove within two to five shots of each other. All of our guys (Jacobsen, Eiken, Genin, and Landry) came through for us and we expect them to lower their scores by state tourney time."

The Rocks will play May 6 in Jackson for the state title. The competition will take place at Shady Oaks golf course.

Approach for catching larger bass

For the majority of today's bass fishermen, catching larger bass ranks as a top priority, not only for the excitement a big bass provides but also for the bragging rights that come with it.

To professional guide David Wharton, catching heavier bass usually meant a return booking by his clients, and now as a full-time tournament fisherman, big bass mean better pay checks.

What's why Wharton has, over the years, developed a three-step plan to follow whenever he looks specifically for heavier-than-average fish.

"I use larger lures, I fish them in thicker cover, and I work them more slowly," says Wharton. "Nearly every big bass I've caught in more than 30 years of serious fishing was taken with this combination."

By larger lures, Wharton means a big spinnerbait of a jig with a big, bulky trailer. He particularly likes a 1/2 or a 5/8 ounce spinnerbait with a huge size six willow leaf blade, or a 1/2 ounce jig with a long plastic craw-worm trailer.

"We all have heard advice about using larger lures to catch larger bass," says Wharton, "and I believe it's true. You'll catch some big bass on small lures, but you'll catch more big bass on larger lures, primarily because the smaller bass won't hit them. You always catch a lot of smaller bass when you're using smaller lures."

Wharton doesn't know why larger, trophy-size bass prefer thicker cover; he just knows they do. Virtually all the bass

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Big bass do get out and move around, of course, but Wharton believes the best chance of catching them is by fishing in the heavy cover, and because

the cover is so thick, a slower presentation is needed in order to work that cover effectively. "Because the bass aren't as active, you want to work your lures slowly," Wharton points out, "but at the same time you have to work lures slowly if you want to work the cover thoroughly."

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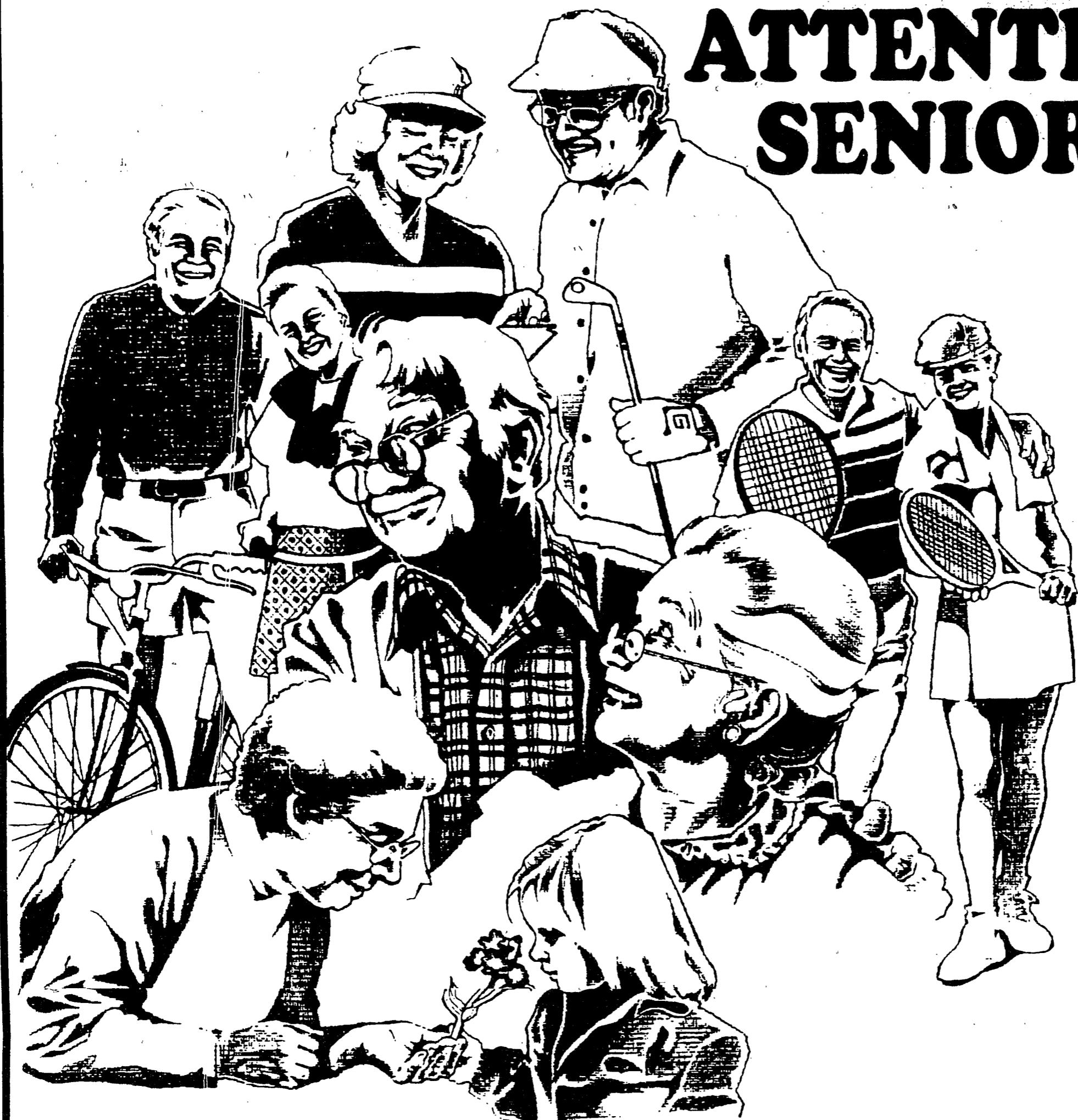
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McLeod

ing into the park from Highway 603.

Efforts to get the project underway were stymied because some right-of-way is needed, but Seymour said appraisals are now underway, and he expects property owners to settle for what the county might offer them for the space it needs.

County road engineer Larry Seals said Texas Flat Road will be widened to 24 feet (two 12-foot lanes) with six-foot shoulders. Drain culverts will also be installed, and the 1.2 miles of roadway will be repaved.

Once the contract is let, Seals said the project could take from six months to a year to complete, "depending on the weather."

That won't help this season as McLeod Park gears up for the annual influx of campers, but Roland D. Lee, hired recently to oversee maintenance at the county's parks and playgrounds says McLeod is a gem in the rough that only needs more polishing.

"I would say most of the people we draw come from Hancock and Harrison County, but we get some out-of-state campers who are just passing through. 'And, most everybody who comes here is impressed with what they see," said Lee.

Lee said the 328-acre park situated in the wetlands and buffer zone that surrounds the giant Stennis Space Center, "is packed to capacity most every

weekend."

Lee, who was born and grew up in the Flat top Community, is a graduate of Hancock North Central High School. He left the area when he joined the U.S. Army in 1964, and spent most of his time as an infantryman in Vietnam.

He admits he's "not much of a camper." Laying in the trenches and sleeping out in the jungle heat of Vietnam cured him of that, he says.

"But, Lee is an avid fisherman and hunter, and a people person."

"There's nothing I like more than to get in my truck, circle the park, and talk to all the campers," said Lee. He's planning to begin surveying campers for their suggestions on what can be done to improve facilities, and to hear their gripes.

Lee spent 27 years in an office environment, starting out as a mail clerk for General Electric at the Stennis Space Center, then working as a reproduction clerk, then photo lab technician for various other industries located at Stennis before being laid off at Johnson Controls when that firm lost a government contract in February of 1995.

He married Sandra Kellar in 1968, so that makes him the brother-in-law of Hancock County Chancery Clerk Tim Kellar. They have a son Dwayne Jr., 24, a daughter, Rachel, who's 21, and one grandson, Trey (DeWayne III).

Before that, Lee worked outside in construction with his father, and says, "It's wonderful for this old country boy to be outside again after being cooped up so long in an office environment."

Lee, 52, said he applied for the job after the county advertised it "because I think I can contribute something, and I want to give something back to Hancock County."

He was hired out of a field of 20 applicants, and Parks and Recreation Chairman A.L. Franklin is one of his staunchest supporters, although he knew he might take some criticism for recommending Lee because of his association with Kellar.

Three members of the Parks and Recreation Commission voted to hire Lee; one member abstained from voting, and one voted against.

When a resolution to hire Lee came up before supervisors District 1's Lyonie "Jeep" Ladner complained publicly that he "wanted more information before you moved on him," but ultimately all five supervisors approved the recommendation.

Franklin calls Lee, "a jack of all trades" who can supervise maintenance and security at McLeod Park, in addition to taking care of maintenance and upkeep at the county's ballparks, and handle public relations.

Lee said he's already starting promoting the park.

"We had hundreds of bro-

chures stashed away in boxes," said Lee. He has started distributing them to Welcome Centers nearby off Interstate 10 in Mississippi and Louisiana.

"Most of them had run out of our brochures. They were happy to get them," said Lee.

Lee said more campsites, the new bath house, and litter control are among his top priorities at McLeod Park.

Work on the bath house, which will include shower and toilet facilities, is expected to get underway within the next week, he said.

"And, we're trying to add at least three more campsites on the river with water and electric and sewerage facilities," said Lee. "And, we're going to add the area set aside for primitive camping (in tents or vans), this season, too."

Lee said his main goal, in addition to hawking the convenience and beauty of McLeod Park, is "to maintain a family atmosphere."

"We want people to come out and enjoy themselves," said Lee. "But, there's no drinking and no wild partying going on, and that's how we want to keep it."

Lee said he also wants to improve some of the facilities already in place, and upgrade playground equipment.

Recently, supervisors Moran and Seymour complained about litter overflowing the only two dumpsters in the park, and Lee said Waste Management Inc., which provides the dumpsters, will soon replace them with larger ones. He said the trash is picked up every Tuesday and Thursday, "And, I'm going to make sure it's picked up."

McLeod Park was deeded to the Pearl River Basin Development District by Stennis in 1975, but its operations and

Area lawyers visit classroom

What to Hancock County lawyers Lisa P. Dodson, Brehm Bell, Edwin R. Ling, Michael F. Cavanaugh, John H. Crouch and Elise Sims and Bay Middle School have in common?

They will be participating in the Lawyer In Every Mississippi Classroom Program during annual Law Week, May 1-7. Over 350 lawyers will use this program as an opportunity to visit with students in their community and convey the values and values of our legal system.

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maintenance are the responsibility of the county and its Parks and Recreation Commission. Unlike Buccaneer Park, McLeod is not part of the state park network, and gets no direct funding from the state.

Franklin said he has seen the park's self-generated revenues grow from \$30,000 to \$100,000 within the last five years. The income comes from campsite, canoe and paddle boat rentals, the boat launch, sales at the park canteen and other activities held at McLeod.

Hancock County this year has allocated the Parks and Recreation Commission a total \$143,825 for upkeep and improvements at county playgrounds, and ballparks, and for McLeod Park.

Franklin said his goal is for McLeod to eventually become self-sustaining, a goal shared by Lee.

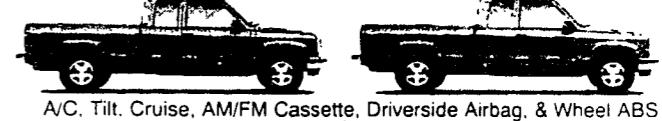
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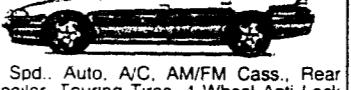


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BUSINESS NEWS

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Is it better to buy or lease?

Q Is it better to lease or buy? I am a self-employed professional and use my car in my work. My accountant has suggested I look into leasing. Will it help with my taxes? Is it a good idea? If so, what should I look for in a lease?

A Robert Bass Jr., JD, CPA with Moore & Powell in Gulfport said the right answer to your question depends upon what kind of car owner you are. He added, "Taxes should not bear the brunt of the decision making."

Bass explained, "Tax law changes in the early 80s greatly limited the depreciation deductions for vehicles. They essentially turned automobiles into long-lived assets. Shortly thereafter, income inclusion rules were used to equalize the tax benefits of leasing and buying. Income inclusion rules require that income is added back to the return each year of the lease. As a result, the netted benefit of leasing is close or equal to buying."

"Whether the car is leased or purchased, the degree to which you can deduct car expenses depends on how much you use it for business. Usage is measured in mileage attributable to business purposes." On a lease vehicle, lease expenses



CONSUMER UPDATE

By Jan Lukens, MBA, CFP
Consumer Money Management Specialist

are pro-rated according to the percentage used for business. When you purchase, interest and depreciation are deducted to the extent they are attributed to business use.

Bass suggests that his clients look at how much they use their car and how often they trade vehicles. "If you drive a lot, buy a car every few years and are continually trading, leasing may work best. You don't have the hassle of what to do with a car when you replace it. If you will have a car payment regardless, leasing may give the best monthly payment."

"If you are the type person who drives a car until it quits, it is better to buy." This advice purchase, mainly because it may be difficult to get all the information you need to make

the best decision. Below are just a few pointers that may help:

- * Use the "2 percent rule" as a quick way to decide if a deal is worth investigating. It states that a two-year, no-money-down lease is a good deal if the monthly payment is 2 percent or less of the car's manufacturer's suggested retail price (MSRP). For a three-year agreement, use 1.8 percent.

* Negotiate the car price as though you were buying it. Ask coincides with that of Peter Levy, publisher of *Complete Car Cost Guide* who says, "If you're keeping the car at least five years, you're better off buying it."

What should you look for in a lease? Getting a good deal on a lease is more complicated than getting a good deal on a car

for lease payments based on that price.

- * Ask for the money factor (i.e., interest rate, lease charge, service fee). Multiply by 24 to get the regular interest rate. As with interest rates on a purchase, the lower, the better.

- * Get the projected residual value on the car. Cars that hold their value keep your lease payments down. Beware of too high a projection, this may bait you into low payments and slap you with high wear-and-tear charges in the end.

- * Compare annual mileage limits with your driving habits. Typical leases allow for 12,000 to 15,000 miles per year. Find out what excess mileage will cost you ahead of time.

- * Ask what happens if you terminate the lease early. Many leases become extremely costly if you bail out early.

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Diversified bond funds are a good hedge

Think back to a rough period you've gone through in your life. Maybe it was with school, your spouse, a child or a good friend. Did you give up, bail out, run in the towel? Probably.

You probably did the best you could and made it through those hard times.

So why do so many private investors head for the sidelines during uncertain economic times?

Professionals know the importance of staying the course through difficult periods. Typically, they adjust their portfolios, moving some money into less-volatile investments, such as bonds and other income-producing securities. While these offer little or no growth, they provide a steady income that helps total return.

However, even this strategy isn't always work. For example, consider 1994, when stocks were down and bonds experienced the worst market in this century. Many safety-conscious bondholders left the market entirely.

Rather than simply moving your money into one type of bond during a weak economy, a better alternative may be to invest equally in the three main bond markets: U.S. government, high-yield and foreign bonds.

According to Colonial Management Group, during six of the past 15 years, one of these three markets has declined. If you had been overconcentrated in any one of these markets in the year it was down, you would have lost money that year. But if you had invested equally in all three markets, you would have made money every year except 1994.

Traditionally, however,

sophisticated bond trading has been beyond the capabilities of the average investor. The dollar amount required for government bond purchases made it difficult for individuals to buy competitively. The risks of high-yield and foreign bonds required research that individuals were not prepared to do.

But now, thanks to mutual funds, average investors can participate in a diversified portfolio of bonds. Many mutual funds offer professionally managed, flexible portfolios that invest in all three of these bond markets and adjust their allocations among the three as conditions change.

Portfolio managers of these funds agree that it is prudent to be in all three bond markets. Although economies are uncertain in the U.S. and abroad, foreign bonds follow conditions in their own countries; they're not affected by the U.S. economy. Research by the Putnam

fund managers shows that in the past 20 years:

- U.S. and foreign bonds followed the same path only 40 percent of the time;
- U.S. government and high-yield bonds moved together less than one-third of the time; and
- there was virtually no correlation between high-yield and foreign bonds.

This tells investors that a diversified bond portfolio can be an excellent hedge against a weak economy or declining stock market. Diversified bond funds give individual investors a way to achieve this.

Remember, however, that all funds offer different risks and rewards. Read the prospectus carefully, and consider only those funds whose objective is to deliver a good income in all interest-rate climates while preserving capital.

Additionally, these funds should be bought to diversify and protect your portfolio. They're not designed as growth investments. What they can do is help provide some consistency through good and bad times. That's a good goal to have for part of your portfolio.

Workshop explains electronic commerce

A seminar titled "Electronic Commerce (EC)/Electronic Data Interchange (EDI)—How to Become a Trading Partner with the Federal Government" will be held Wednesday, May 29 from 8:30-10 a.m. at the Gulf Coast Business Technology Center at 1636 Popps Ferry Road in Biloxi.

Ed Covacevich of the Mississippi Contract Procurement Center will explain the trading partner and electronic commerce acquisition instructions so that contractors can register with the federal government.

Registration involved preparing and sending a complete Trading Partner Profile.

The seminar is free, but registration is suggested by calling 396-1288. The program is presented in cooperation with the Mississippi Contract Procurement Center, the Gulf Coast Business Technology Center, the USM Small Business Development Center and the Greater Biloxi Economic Development Foundation.

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Study addresses why so many Mississippians do not work

In recent years, Mississippi has enjoyed good economic times. A sure sign of this is reflected in record low unemployment levels across the state. However, such record low rates may cause concern to employers and policy makers, who fear that labor shortages may slow continued economic growth.

A recent Center for Policy Research and Planning (CPRP) Demographic Brief published by Dr. Barbara J. Logue, *Constraints On Labor Supply In Mississippi*, addresses this issue. It explains why so many thousands of Mississippians do not work at all and why others work only part-time.

It also explores the plausibility of turning to nonworkers and part-time workers to augment the state's labor supply.

Those in the prime working ages (18 to 64) and older adults ages 65 to 74 were considered separately. Data were obtained from the Public Use Micro data Sample for the state (5 percent sample) from the 1990 decennial census.

The following is a synopsis of the findings and contains selected excerpts from the brief. A complete copy of the brief may be obtained by contacting Deborah B. Smith at (601) 982-6742.

According to the 1990 census, almost 417,000 Mississippians in the prime working ages (18 to 64) did not work even part-time. Nor were they actively seeking work. Nonworkers accounted for more than one in four of the population in the prime working ages. Most nonworkers (65.9 percent) were women.

The distribution of nonworkers by race — 64.5 percent white and 35.5 percent non-white — was representative of the state's demographic makeup. The average age of nonworkers was relatively young, only 39.7 years; thus the typical nonworker represents a potential loss of 25 work years, assuming continued nonparticipation until he or she reaches age 65.

According to census data, the largest category of nonworkers, and a quite intractable one, consisted of 106,536 individuals who were not institutionalized but had health constraints that prevented them from working at any type of job. This group represented one in four of all nonworkers in the state.

No details are available as to the precise nature of their health problems; they may have resulted from disease, accident, violence or emotional disturbance, but problems must have lasted six months or longer.

Thus temporary problems such as a broken leg were not counted. Inadequate education also seemed to inhibit labor force activity for an estimated 47,238 people, or one in nine of all nonworkers in the prime working ages. Undoubtedly, some members of this group cannot even read a want ad or fill out a job application.

Since their median age in 1990 was only 41 years, and they neither suffered from chronic illnesses nor had child-rearing responsibilities, such individuals represent a substantial potential for increasing Mississippi's labor supply if remedial efforts can be implemented.

The part-time work force included all those who usually worked less than 35 hours a week in 1989, worked fewer than 50 weeks during the year, or both. Nearly 467,000 Mississippians worked part-time in 1989, according to the 1990 census.

Men outnumbered women by 53.4 percent to 46.6 percent. The average age of part-timers was only 36.9 years.

Many part-time workers prefer to work less than 35 hours per week or on a seasonal basis, in lieu of not working at all, whereas others want to work full-time but cannot due to a variety of factors, including competing obligations and inability to find a full-time position. Some people worked at two or more part-time jobs, but census data do not contain information on multiple jobs that would allow us to address this issue.

Moreover, anyone who averaged more than 35 hours per week for 50 or more weeks in 1989, regardless of how many different jobs this encompassed, was classified as a full-time worker and so excluded from the current study.

In contrast to nonworkers, among whom health problems constituted the single largest obstacle to paid work, education constraints were paramount among part-time workers. The census data show that nearly 60,000 state residents worked part-time while attending college, and an additional 5,643 teenagers were still in high school.

As for nonworkers, attending school limits the labor supply in the short term but will generally enhance labor force participation, and productivity, in the longer term. The 80,528 people who lacked a high school diploma, on the other hand, substantially outnumbered students, accounting for 17.2 percent of all part-time workers.

As a group, the part-time work force was more highly educated than the collection of nonworkers. For instance, more than one in five part-timers had attended college, compared to one in six nonworkers.

More important, 14.6 percent of part-timers had a college degree, whereas only 7.6 percent of nonworkers attained that level of formal education. Clearly, for one reason or another, the talents of many of Mississippi's part-time workers are underutilized, whereas others are held back by educational deficiencies.

Many American workers retire early, two in three before reaching age 65. Post-retirement life expectancy has increased significantly during this century, meaning that whatever assets one brings to retirement must be stretched over a longer remaining lifetime. At the same time, those who work must contribute more to finance the longer lives of those who leave the work force.

Older people are generally healthier now than in the past, meaning that poor health is not forcing them out of the work force.

Nonetheless, the 1990 census data indicate that only 15.2 percent of Mississippians aged 65 to 74 — the group gerontologists now refer to as the "young old" — were still working full-or part-time. Most of these (64.2 percent) worked only part-time.

These part-time workers tended to be better-educated than their nonworking counterparts, a factor which encourages continued work directly because their greater human capital makes them more valuable to the economy and indirectly because working conveys greater rewards, both psychic and monetary.

Nearly one in six older part-time workers attended college and 14.2 percent had a college degree, whereas only one in nine older nonworkers attended college and only 7.1 percent had earned a degree.

Not surprisingly, older people who remain in the work force also tend to enjoy better health than nonworkers in the same age group. Other continue to work as long as they can due to economic necessity, despite health problems or limited education.

Specific future labor force requirements are unknown. Although serious worker shortages are anticipated in some areas, such as low-level health care occupations, some key trends suggest an overall excess of workers rather than a shortage.

These include the transfer of many manufacturing jobs to foreign countries, where labor costs are lower; continued immigration, both legal and illegal; increased mechanization and robotization; growing resort to customer self-service in banks, retail stores, fast-food outlets and other service establishments; greater productivity of existing workers; and reduc-

tions in consumer demand (via a preference for more durable products, for example, that need not be replaced so often).

The absence of serious efforts to curb population growth in the nation suggests that Americans and their leaders are not very concerned about a possible excess of workers; rather, most seem to anticipate a shortage — an assumption that may well prove unwarranted given the pace of technological change and the other trends just noted.

Collectively, educational shortcomings, chronic ill health, childcare obligations, and early retirement depress the labor supply in Mississippi. School attendance is merely a temporary constraint, which makes for better workers in time.

Childcare obligations are likewise temporary for many mothers. It is noteworthy that married mothers with minor children tend to be well-educated, a fact that tends to raise labor force entry (or re-entry) rates following childbearing. On the other hand, limited labor force participation may well continue indefinitely for mothers who drop out of high school.

It may well prove easier to retain older workers in the labor force than to remedy the educational deficiencies of nonworkers. Early retirees, for example, are the best-educated subgroup of nonworkers. As for the large group of nonworkers and part-time workers with no obvious constraints on (increased) participation, special surveys may be necessary to ascertain the reasons for their particular status.

Since we know they have all graduated from high school, are not tied down by childcare responsibilities, and are in reasonably good health, we need to explore other possible constraints and preferences that affect their labor force status. Estimating the numbers of potential workers and trying to remedy the constraints that are remediable addresses only part of the labor supply problem. Because remediation of educational deficiencies is difficult, expensive, and time-consuming, scarce resources must be diverted from other problems to remedial efforts.

Likewise, the chronic health conditions that limit or prevent work for nearly 110,000 Mississippians necessitate potentially costly health care and rehabilitative measure, long-term financial support from family or state, and caregiving on the part of family members that may inhibit their work participation.

More generally, every non-worker, regardless of his or her reasons for non-participation, must be supported by the working population.

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Other issues, such as long-term, work-preventing health problems and severe learning deficiencies, are unsolvable for current victims. Instead, preventive measures that would affect the state's future work force are the most reasonable way to direct scarce resources.

If prevention of serious work-inhibiting problems is the goal, policy makers' attention must ultimately turn to the family — the institution primarily responsible for producing tomorrow's work force.

Here, policies that encourage fully informed parenting decisions and discourage out-of-wedlock childbearing are linked to improvements in both the quality and quantity of future workers.



'Just Duit'

Just Duit, a unique gift store located in One Magnolia Place in Bay St. Louis, celebrated its grand opening Tuesday. The store is owned and operated by Jeanne McCollister (left) and her daughter, Elise. The store specializes in unique gifts, handmade crafts, angels and pottery. (Echo staff photo by Richard Meek)

Edward Jones to host Career Day

Craig W. Foster, the local investment representative for Edward Jones, announced that his office will participate in Jones' National Career Day Thursday, May 16.

The event will feature a program to be broadcast live over the firm's satellite network. The program, which will air twice, will examine opportunities and challenges offered by a career with Edward Jones.

"Because Jones is so different from other Wall Street firms, it offers its investment representatives unique opportunities," Foster said. "The typical Jones office is staffed by one investment representative and one support person and is located in

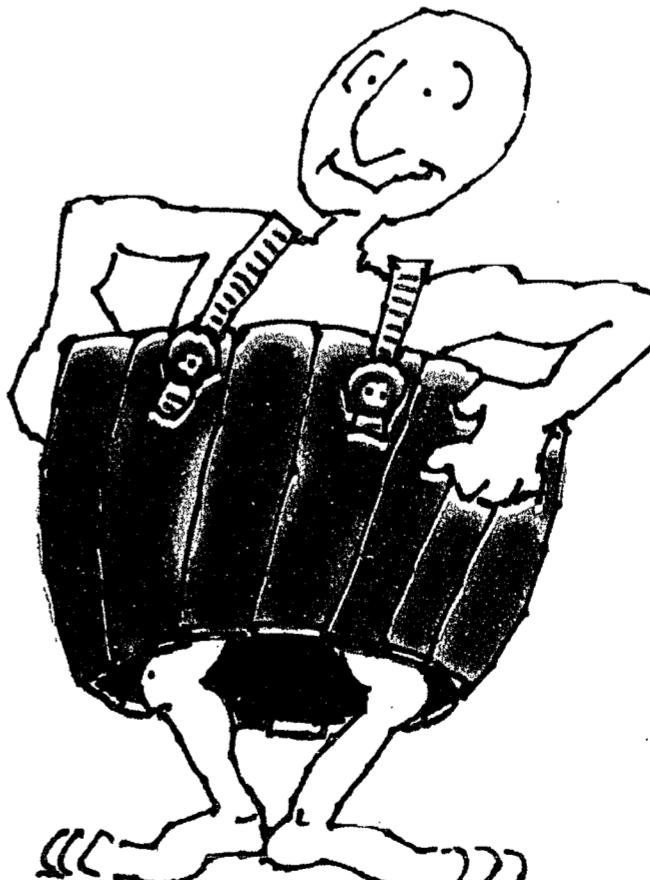
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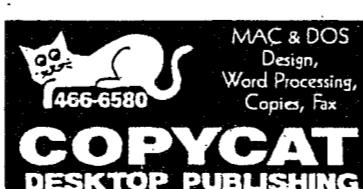
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Officer

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Roberts told the Echo he planned to start work for Municipal Court in Gulfport May 6, where he would also serve as capias officer.

And, Don Dobbs, administrator of Gulfport's Municipal Court, confirmed, "We have hired Mr. Roberts, and we're lucky to get him."

McDonald said he will ask Aldermen to accept Roberts' resignation at the next regular meeting, scheduled for May 7.

According to Gulfport Police Detective Sgt. G.T. Johnson, Roberts was arrested at 7 a.m. on March 16 at the Waffle House restaurant on West Hwy. 90.

Johnson said an employee on duty called police, and Gulfport police officer Robert DeLeon took Roberts into central lockup.

Johnson said the complaint alleges Roberts entered the Waffle House, had words with the victim, grabbed him by the throat, and pushed him against

a wall.

According to records, Roberts was booked on charges of simple assault and disorderly conduct on a complaint filed by the victim.

He was released after posting a \$535 bond, and trial was originally set for May 3, in Gulfport Municipal Court.

Dobbs said a special judge would be called in to hear the charges against Roberts. If convicted of either charge, he could face a fine ranging from \$100 to \$500 on each charge, Dobbs said.

Asst. court clerk Louelle Cuffee said Friday that the original trial date will be rescheduled. She said the court will bring in "a new prosecutor and an outside judge" to hear the charges against Roberts.

McDonald said Roberts also served on the Municipal Election Commission, and also requested to resign that post effective May 7.

**Back School dig**

The third archeological dig at the site of the Back School at St. Stanislaus Prep was recently completed under the direction of Marco Giardo, Ph.D. with professional assistance from NAVOCEANO scientists at the John C. Stennis Space Center. Among those participating in the dig, which is the third of the Sesqui Project, which is a ten-year archeological investigation on the school grounds, were from left, Fred Lherito and Dana Bordelon, SSC teachers. Among the artifacts found in the dig were foundation materials of the Back School, nails, clay marbles, ink wells, nibs, bottles from the 1920's, and bottle caps. A display of the artifacts is to be set up at St. Stanislaus. (Echo staff photo by Ellis C. Cuevas)



Cal Mayer describes a shard from his private collection which has been donated to SSC.

Traffic deaths increase

Mississippi traffic deaths in 1995 increased to 868, according to the Governor's Office of Highway Safety. It represented nearly a 10 percent increase over the 791 killed in 1994. Deaths by road system were 203 on city streets, 194 on county roads and 471 on state and federal highways.

Donald O'Cain, governor's representative for highway safety, noted that "the number of fatalities in 1995 is the highest since 1973 when 883 were killed. Beyond those killed in 1995 is the sorrow these tragedies brought to hundreds of husbands, wives, parents, grandparents, children and friends of those who lost their lives.

Most of the deaths could have been prevented by common-sense safety measures such as never driving after consuming alcoholic beverages; refusing to ride with drivers who have been

drinking; using safety belts and child safety devices; obeying speed limits, traffic signs and signals; and watching carefully for roadway hazards and the actions of other drivers."

The fatalities included 582 drivers, 223 passengers, 57 pedestrians and six bicyclists. Of the 805 occupant deaths, 80.5 percent were not using safety belts or child safety devices.

Blood alcohol tests were performed upon 64.2 percent of all those killed, and 41.7 percent tested positive. Of the 73.9 percent of the driver fatalities tested, 41.9 percent tested positive.

"Law enforcement officers and many others are doing virtually everything possible to make Mississippi roadways safer, but the ultimate responsibility lies with motor vehicle drivers," O'Cain noted.

Private collection of artifacts donated to SSC

Cal Mayer, an amateur archeologist from Bay St. Louis, donated his extensive collection of Indian Artifacts and other found items to the Sesqui Project at St. Stanislaus.

Over four years, Mayer had collected pottery shards dating from the Marksburg Period (200 B.C.-200 A.D.) and the Late Woodland through Mississippian Periods (400 A.D.-1500 A.D.)

The site from which his collection was recovered on the beach south of the Bay St. Louis Bridge has been designated as eligible for the National Register of Historic Places by Jackson's office of Archives of History.

Taylor puts recycled concrete to work in county

Some 300 cubic yards of recycled concrete rip rap, which would have cost Hancock county about \$10,000, will be used to stabilize a drainage ditch at Hancock Medical Center, announced Congressman Gene Taylor.

In August of last year, Taylor made sure that some 15,000 tons of concrete rip rap which was destined for a landfill, was stored for the use of local governments to help out South Mississippi taxpaying instead.

Since then, the rip rap has also been put to good use for a number of other public projects. The city of Bay St. Louis used the concrete for its new beach-front project. The Harrison County Development Commission used the rip rap for an access road to a future industrial site.

Taylor said he hopes that other cities and counties will be able to use the concrete for similar projects.

"The advantages are endless," said Taylor. "With the citizens and local government reaping the benefits."

"The redirection of this drainage route helps to clear the way for our next expansion at Hancock Medical Center,"

Mayer donated his collection knowing that these artifacts would support the classroom work and research associated with the school's ten-year archeological project.

Marco Giardino, PhD, mentor of the Sesqui Project, said "this significant ceramic collection is representative of the styles and manufacture of early American Indians. Numerous shards, decorated with incised lines and punctations, date from the first millennium A.D. and even earlier. Also of interest is the historic artifact collection which includes 19th century tools, metal-toy soldiers, hurricane lamps and historic bottles."

Taylor puts recycled concrete to work in county

said Hospital Administrator Don Henderson. "The procurement of rip rap will preserve the integrity of the drainage route alteration."

"We are very grateful to Congressman Taylor and his staff for providing us with the materials. Our thanks are also extended to the Hancock County Supervisors for their assistance with labor and equipment to complete this project," said Henderson.

Taylor said another plan for the rip rap is the creation of low-profile near-shore fishing reefs. The reefs, which would be located within the 1/2 mile limit and out of commercial zones, would be beneficial to both commercial and recreational fishermen.

The project began five years ago when Gulf Coast Conservation Association (GCCA) contacted Taylor about the concrete from the replacement of an apron at the Air National Guard Base in Gulfport.

Mississippi Gulf Coast Fishing Banks continues to play a key role in reef project. The rip rap is being housed by the Harrison County Development Commission on the Industrial Seaway in Gulfport.

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COMMUNITY

Hope Haven gala raises \$10,000

The Hope Haven Extravaganza was a tremendous success, according to Lois Griffin, coordinator.

Some \$10,000 was raised at the Hope Haven Extravaganza held at the Hancock County Civic Center.

Miss Hope Haven was Jerry Curtin with Maurice Singleton as runner-up. Other winners were, Best Smile, Kenny Glavin; Best Hair, Supervisor Jeep Ladner; Best Legs, Russ Severson; Best

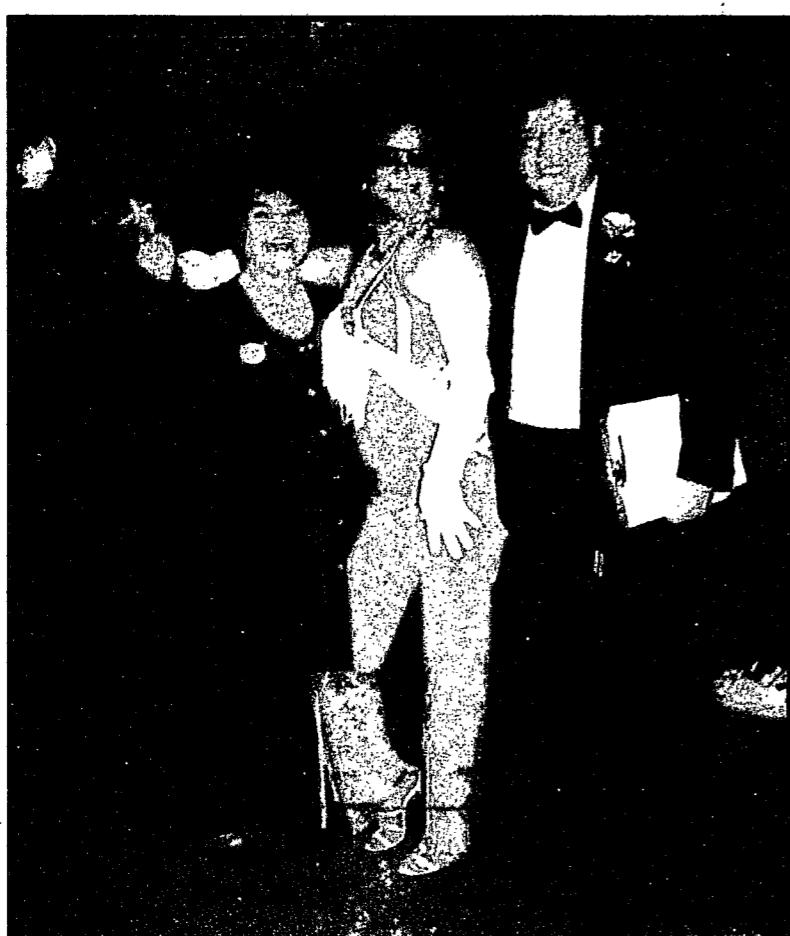
Buns, Greg Kothman; and Best Chest, Richard Pate.

All costumes were donated by Bon Temps Roule, with hair and makeup donated by Magic Touch, Mary Kay Cosmetics, Merle Norman, and Pazazz Salon.

The officers and directors of Hope Haven wish to thank each and everyone who participated, contributed and attended the Extravaganza.



Group shot of all contestants



Bobbi Barr of Hope Haven left, is with Greg Kothman and emcee Mike Reader, of WLOX-TV.



Tom Kelly, left, talent winner and Miss Hope Haven Jerry Curtin.



From left, Kenny Glavin, Kelly Cannon, Mark Turner, Scott Lemon and Dr. Frank Conaway.



(Pictured left) Carol Camp applies makeup to Jimmy Loiacano.

(Pictured right) Maurice Singleton, Miss Hope Haven runner-up.



Mark Turner, left, and Kelly Cannon.



Scott Lemon



From left, Kenny Glavin, Timothy (Tim) Kellar and Jeff Dahl.

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Wednesday—Juice, Sausage Biscuit or Cereal and Toast.
Thursday—Juice, Cheese Grits or Cereal, Whole Wheat Toast.
Friday—Juice, Pancake and Sausage or Cereal and Toast.

LUNCH

Monday—Hamburger or Red Beans and Rice with Sausage, Seasoned Green Beans, Baked Fruit Bar, Seasoned Cornbread, Stack of Trimmings.
Tuesday—Corn Dog and Mustard or Fried Chicken, Broccoli and Rice Casserole, Glazed Carrots, Frozen Juice Bar, Hot Roll.
Wednesday—Ham Sandwich or Homemad Pizza, Green Salad, Buttered Corn, Fresh Fruit, Stack of Trimmings.
Thursday—Soft Taco or Chicken Fillet on Bun, Lettuce, Tomato, Cheese, Baked Beans, Peach Delight, French Fries.
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Monday—Cereal, Buttered Toast, Juice.
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Wednesday—Blueberry Muffin, Sliced Peaches.
Thursday—Ham Biscuit, Diced Pears.
Friday—Blueberry Muffin or Blueberry Flapsticks, Juice.

LUNCH

Monday—Hot Dog with Chili, Baked Beans, Spicy Potatoes, Applesauce.
Tuesday—Red Beans with Rice, Smoked Sausage, Pineapple Chunks, Cornbread or Cheeseburger on Bun, Pickle Spears, Tater Tots, Pineapple Chunks or Chicken Pattie on Bun, Hashbrowns, Pineapple Chunks.
Wednesday—Fish, Macaroni and Cheese, Italian Vegetables, Pear Salad, Hot Rolls.
Thursday—Baked Chicken, Rice Dressing, Broccoli, Apples, Hot Rolls.
Friday—BBQ Beef on Bun, Hashbrowns, English Peas, Peach Cobbler.

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BREAKFAST

Monday—Blueberry Flapsticks, or Cereal, Buttered Toast, Juice.
Tuesday—Ham Biscuit or Cheese Toast, Applesauce.
Wednesday—Cereal, Toast or Blueberry Muffin, Sliced Peaches.

Thursday—Cheese Toast or Ham Biscuit, Diced Pears.
Friday—Blueberry Muffin or Blueberry Flapsticks, Juice.

LUNCH

(Includes Salad Bar)
Monday—Hot Dog with Chili, Baked Beans, Spicy Potatoes, Applesauce of Pizza, French Fries, Applesauce or Meat Sauce with Spaghetti, Broccoli with Cheese, Applesauce, Hot Rolls.
Tuesday—Red Beans with Rice, Smoked Sausage, Pineapple Chunks, Cornbread or Cheeseburger on Bun, Pickle Spears, Tater Tots, Pineapple Chunks or Chicken Pattie on Bun, Hashbrowns, Pineapple Chunks.
Wednesday—Fish, Macaroni and Cheese, Italian Vegetables, Pear Salad, Hot Rolls or Pizza, French Fries, Pear Salad or Baked Potato with Chili, Italian Vegetables, Pear Salad, Crackers.
Thursday—Baked Chicken, Rice Dressing, Broccoli, Apples, Hot Rolls or Burritos.

Heitzmann awarded
ROTC scholarship

Julie Heitzmann, a senior at Bay High School, has been awarded a four-year Air Force ROTC college scholarship based on her outstanding academic record, leadership abilities and community service. Heitzmann is the daughter of Jerry and Debbie Heitzmann of Bay St. Louis and plans to attend the University of Southern Mississippi.

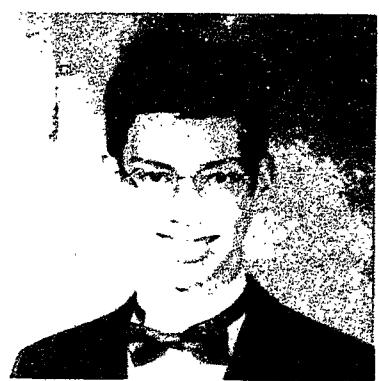
Heitzmann's GPA is a 3.958 based on a 4.0 quality scale. She has been an all-A/alpha honor

Tracy
receives
scholarship

Raymond Tracy, a senior at St. Stanislaus, has received a scholarship offer from Mississippi State University. Tracy will be a member of the Music Department and as such has been offered a band service award renewable each semester and an instrumental music scholarship together valued at \$4,800 a year.

Tracy has been a member of the SSC Marching Band for five years and has merited Beta and Alpha Honor Roll status throughout his high school career.

He is the grandson of Mr. Norbert E. Tracy, who graduated from SSC in '31, and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Tracy of Pass Christian.



Raymond Tracy

Stress
management
workshop

A stress management workshop will be given May 17-19 by Capt. Ervin L. Goss, USN (retired). Stress is America's top killer.

Cost for the entire weekend (Friday evening through Sunday afternoon) is \$75. This includes five meals and lodging. Those wishing to commute to the workshop, a fee for the weekend is \$35, which includes Saturday and Sunday's lunch.

For registration or information, contact Fr. William Kelley, SVD, St. Augustine's Retreat Center, 199 Seminary Drive, Bay St. Louis, MS 39520, phone 467-9837.

roll student. Her honors include National Honor Society, two years; Who's Who Among American High School Students, four years; United States National Mathematics Award, three years; United States Achievement Academy Leadership and Service Award, one year; National Sojourners Award; Kitty Hawk Society; Academic Excellence Awards for having the highest average in chemistry, physics, advanced mathematics, accelerated English III, art I JROTC I, U.S. history, U.S. government, Spanish II, and an academic award in geometry.

Her activities include Class Officer, three years; Student Council, two years; C/Captain and Fight Commander, JROTC, one year; SADD, four years; Big Sister/Little Sister, one year; Youth to Youth, two years; CYO, three years; cheerleader, two years; tennis team, two years, district runner-up, best match record and Hustle Award; soccer team, two years, helped to lead Bay High to the 1996 South State Soccer Championship and State Runner-up.

Selected Most Valuable Player and received the Scholar Athlete Award. Selected as a member of the 1996 Coca Cola All-Star soccer team. She has been playing soccer since age 5 and has been a member of the Mississippi Olympic Development Soccer Program for two years.

Other scholarships awarded include the University of Southern Mississippi, Leadership Award; the University of Mississippi, Academic Excellence; Mississippi State University, academic; and William Carey, Presidential Excellence Scholar and soccer.

Heitzmann was actively recruited to play soccer at Loyola University, Millsaps, Mississippi State and William Carey.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry L. Bruno of Bay St. Louis announce the birth of a son, Jason Eric, April 18, 1996 at NorthShore Regional Medical Center in Slidell.

Mrs. Bruno is the former Shannon Rushing.

Deonna Renee Laphand Keoki Laphand and Diane Delaney of Bay St. Louis announce the birth of their first child, Keonna Renee, March 23, 1996 at 5 p.m. at Hancock Medical Center in Bay St. Louis.

She weighed 6 pounds, one ounce.

Maternal grandparents are Eddie and Vicki Delaney of Diamondhead and Susan Delaney of Long Beach.

Paternal grandparents are Joanne Laphand and Aubrey Labot of Pass Christian.

Great-grandmothers are Louise Whitehead and Edith Varney.

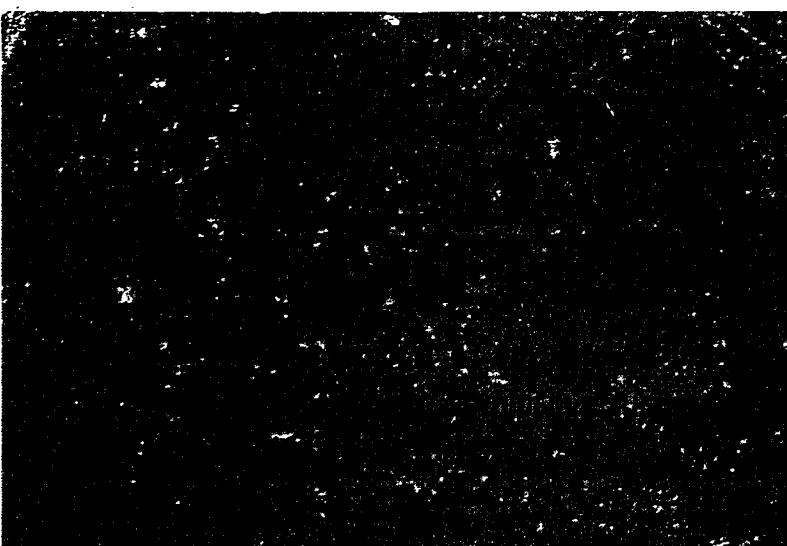
EMILY MARIE COOK

Kristin A. Cook of Bay St. Louis, announces the birth of a daughter, Emily Marie, April 17, 1996 at 11:16 p.m. at Hancock Medical Center in Bay St. Louis.

She weighed 8 pounds, 2 ounces.

Grandmother is June A. Henry of Bay St. Louis.

Great-grandparents are Glenn Cook and Ann Cook of New York.



Julie Heitzmann

French Fries, Apples or Corn Dog, Hashbrowns, Apples.

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Thursday—Waffles, Syrup, Juice.
Friday—Cereal, Toast, Juice.

LUNCH

Monday—Hot Dog with Chili, Baked Beans, Spicy Potatoes, Applesauce.
Tuesday—Red Beans with Rice, Smoked Sausage, Pineapple Chunks, Cornbread or Cheeseburger on Bun, Pickle Spears, Tater Tots, Pineapple Chunks or Chicken Pattie on Bun, Hashbrowns, Pineapple Chunks.
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USM campus previews

The University of Southern Mississippi will register prospective new students and acquaint them with the school's resources during seven summer orientations sessions.

Students who have been admitted to USM, and their parents, are encouraged to attend one of the Preview sessions on the Hattiesburg

OLA alumna publishes again

Donna Webb, a 1995 graduate of Our Lady Academy, was notified recently by St. Mary's Press of Winona, Minn., that a poem she submitted in the 1994-95 school year has been published again in another one of their books.

The poem, entitled "Wanted" was first published in 1995 by St. Mary's Press in a collection of prayers by teenagers entitled *More Dreams Alive*. The prayers come from all over the United States and touch on issues and feelings at the heart of teenage life.

Recently, St. Mary's Press chose to publish Webb's poem again in their updated high school textbook, *Creating a Christian Lifestyle*. The poem, which expresses the need everyone has for good friends who are good listeners, appears in a section entitled "Communication."

Both books are edited by Carl Koch. *More Dreams Alive* is available in many book stores and makes an excellent gift for graduations, confirmation, birthdays and other special occasions. The textbook *Creating a Christian Lifestyle* is available through St. Mary's Press.

Webb, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alan Webb of Pass Christian, is currently attending Pearl River Community College majoring in music.

Wanted: Someone who will listen to me. A kind ear what will not turn. Wanted: Someone to say "It's all right."

Who will be there when the nightmare stops.

Wanted: Someone to say "I love you."

Who will help fill the emptiness inside.

Wanted: Someone whom I can trust,

Someone who will stay by my side.

Wanted: A pair of arms willing to give a hug.

A voice to whisper, "The nightmare will end."

A hand to wipe the tears away.

Wanted: A friend.



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The sessions begin at 9 a.m. and end 5 p.m. allowing new students to meet their academic advisers, register for fall courses, review transcripts and

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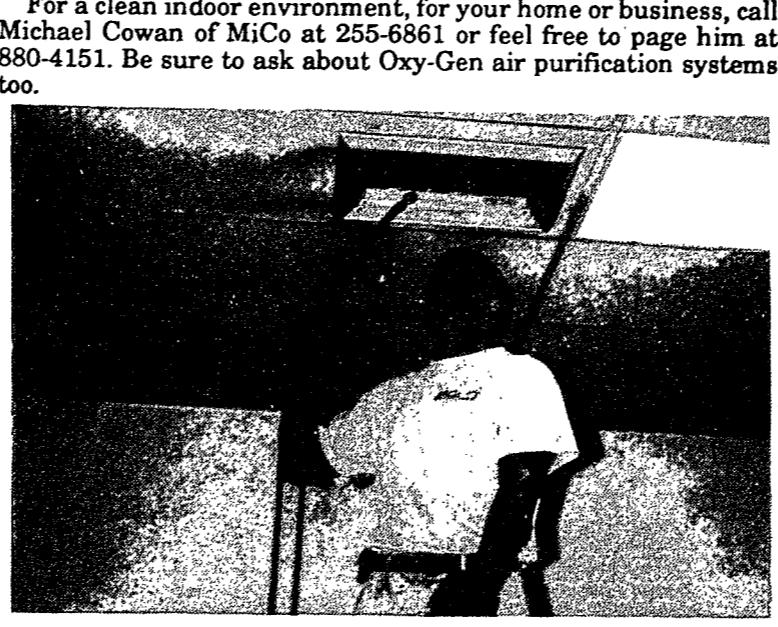
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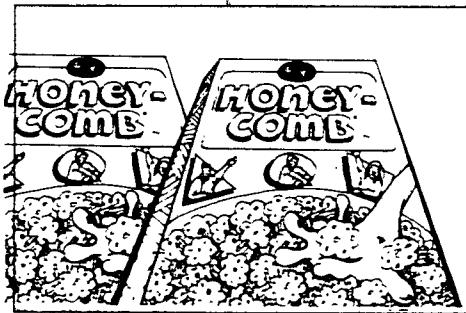


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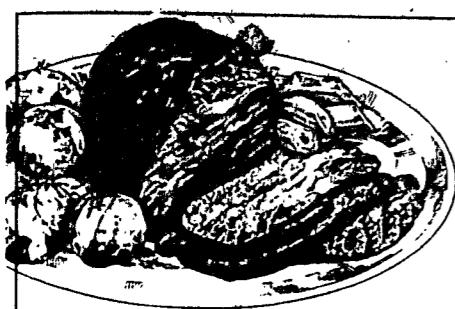
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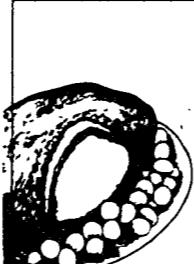

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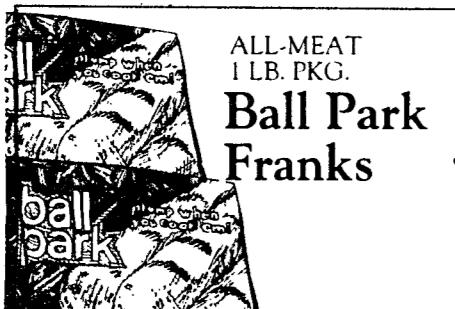
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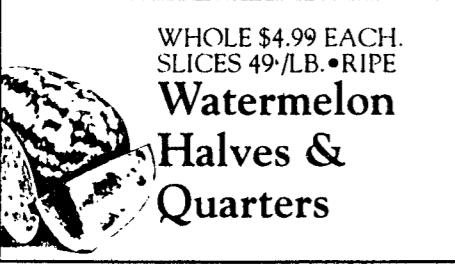
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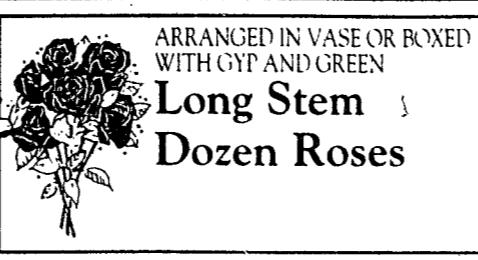
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WEDDINGS, ENGAGEMENTS

Cochrancs celebrate 50th



Mr. and Mrs. O'Neal Cochran

Mr. and Mrs. O'Neal Cochran celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary April 27. They were originally married in Waynesboro, Miss.

A family celebration was

Taylor-Schaefer

Julie Christine Schaefer, daughter of Michael and Mary Ellen Schaefer of Diamondhead, and Warren Douglas Taylor, son of Wayne and Barbara Taylor of Ocala, Fla., will be married May 25, 1996 at 3 p.m. at the Diamondhead Community Center.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Our Lady Academy and earned a bachelor's degree from the University of New Orleans. She is presently employed with the University of South Florida in Tampa.

The prospective groom is a Forest High School graduate and is a candidate for graduation in May '96 with a doctor of medicine degree from the University of South Florida.

Egan-Sullivan

The marriage of Miss Courtney Anne Egan and Mr. David M.

Sullivan, both of New Orleans, was solemnized April 20 aboard the Creole Queen in New Orleans with the Rev. John Zimmer officiating. A reception followed aboard ship.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jay H. Egan, and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack J. Sullivan.

The bride, whose mother was the former Miss Gayle Schaefer, was graduated from Our Lady Academy, received a BA from Millsaps College and a MFA from Maryland Institute of Art. She is the granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. George Schaefer and Mrs. Dan Egan and the late Mr. Egan.

Mr. Sullivan, whose mother was the former Miss Joan Patterson was graduated from Ben Franklin High School, received a BFA from Louisiana State University and a MFA from Maryland Institute of Art. He is the grandson of Mrs. Frank Patterson and the late Mr. Patterson and the late Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Sullivan.

The couple will reside in New Orleans.

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Perkinston 255-7720

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CHURCH OF CHRIST

Church of Christ
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Church of God
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Diamondhead 255-9213

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Clermont Blvd.

Clermont Harbor 533-7718

Diamondhead United Methodist
Diamondhead Community Center

255-6888

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526 E. Second St. Pass Christian

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Pearlinton 533-9976

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Hwy 604 Pearlington

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34 Personals

46 Home Improvement

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PRE-SCHOOL advanced 3 & 4 year olds. 8-12, Monday, Wednesday, Friday. Transportation to babysitter at noon is provided. Call 467-5626.

FUNERAL SERVICES: 24 hours a day. 467-7715 - taking fall registration, also.

LABORERS NEEDED NOW! LOTS OF overtime!! Start today! \$6/Hour, call 896-0085.

LOOKING FOR EXPERIENCED painter & body man with own tools. Also painters helper. 467-2923.

NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION REQUIRES experienced child care workers, over 21 years of age for full-time and part-time positions. Several shifts available for weekday/weekends. Formal resumes not required. Send letter and work experience to: P.O. Box 37, Bay St. Louis, MS 39520. Drug/smoke free workplace.

PART-TIME CLERICAL POSITION available. Public relations business looking for receptionist/secretary with basic computer skills. Must enjoy working with people! Send resume with references to: Box KTM, c/o The Sea Coast Echo, P.O. Box 2009, Bay St. Louis, MS 39521-2009.

SR. CITIZEN DESIRES ASSISTANCE to learn windows 95 Computer. Kiln area. Will pay for lessons. Week-ends only. 601-467-5110.

73 Help Wanted

DIAMONDHEAD BURGER KING now hiring part-time & full-time employment, am & pm shift. Apply in person, no phone calls, please.

EXTRA MONEY! Weekend/evens. Field representatives to do surveys. (Movie, checking/mystery shopping). For marketing firm. Call Nancy, 1-800-860-0714.

HANCOCK MEDICAL CENTER has openings for experienced RN's and LPN's on Med/Surg. floor. Positions are full time and PRN shifts. We offer competitive salaries and excellent benefits. Interested parties should contact Angie Gambino, at 601-467-8777 or send a resume to: P.O. Box 2790, Bay St. Louis, MS 39521-2790.

HOTEL REED NURSING CENTER is accepting applications 9am-4pm, Monday-Friday. For Dietary Aid and Cook. 400 North Beach Blvd., Bay St. Louis.

HOUSEKEEPER NEEDED FOR DAY shift, 7am-3:30pm, 10am

83 Items For Sale

BAHAMA CRUSIE! 5days/4 nights, underbooked! Must sell. \$279/couple. Limited tickets 1-800-414-4151, ext. 4900, Mon-Sat, 9am-10pm.

BARBIE HOLIDAY COLLECTION 1989, 91, 92, 94 & 95. Never out of cases, \$1,500 452-9131.

CRABS LIVE & SOFT. PLEASURE ST. 467-6614

ELEGANT, PINK FRENCH PROVINCIAL couch set, only serious inquiries. Brand new, good price. Call 467-3660.

FOR SALE TWO COCKTAILS W/CAGE. \$50 each or 2 for \$75. 467-0734.

JULY BIRTHSTONE! LARGE MAN'S 14K gold and ruby ring. \$250. Call 255-1317.

LARGE CAPACITY MICROWAVE, \$75. G E washer & dryer in white, \$100 each; Under the counter Westinghouse Dish Washer w/different color panels, almost brand new \$275. All in good working condition. Please call 467-5626.

LARGE SHOWER UNIT with sliding glass doors, \$50. Call 466-5715.

LIFESTYLES RPM EXERCISE BIKE. Programable, pulse rate, etc. Air resistance, like new. \$200/lift. 466-2779.

PORTABLE OXYGEN TANK, COMPLETE with cylinder, cart, regulator and hose. Like new. Call 467-4050/days, 467-5176/night.

SPA/HOT TUB: 5 Person portable w/neck, rotating & therapy jets. Underwater light, Western Red Cedar Cabinet. Never been used. \$1675. 601-822-9677.

84 Furniture

HOTEL MATTRESSES, SEALY & Simons, king/full, & 3/4, \$50 up; dressers/mirrors, night stands, tables, stackable chairs, commercial steel shelving. Clean used appliances 2 door Pepsi cooler. Air & heat units, 1,400 & 9,200 BTU's. 467-9727

MATCHING SOFA & LOVESEAT; two end & cocktail tables. Very good condition. 255-5911.

85 Building Materials

CERAMIC TILE: Interceramic, Summittville, DAL, KPT, Laufin. 500,000 sq.ft. in stock. Attention: Builders, Floorers, special prices, 88¢ sq.ft. to \$1.80 sq.ft. 1-800-233-6702. FLOOR STORE, Slidell, 1725 Gause Blvd. off I-10, next to Smith & Jones, Buildmart.

METAL ROOFING/SIDING - 6 colors galv. to 24 ft. length, 38" wide-28 ga. galv. 99¢ ft. colors, \$1.19 ft. V-crimp & corrug. 64¢ ft. Ridge cap, rake & corner, purlins \$1.00 ft. Roofing/Siding from \$14.90 sq. Warehouse Sales, Slidell, LA Exit 263 I-10. 800-842-6646.

90 Pets

12 WEEK OLD AKC ROTTWEILER puppies, three female \$300 each, one male \$375. Good bloodline. Call 467-5626.

AKC TINY YORKIE PUPPIES. First shots & wormed. Males. \$350. Taking deposits. 467-2938.

CUR & BULLDOG PUPPIES, FREE to good home. Call 467-4917.

YORKSHIRE TERRIER (male), 3 yrs. old. Good home only. \$100. AKC, with papers. 466-5715.

FREE KITTENS - 6 WEEKS OLD, good home only. 466-9996.

PARROTHEAD AVIARIES, hand fed baby parrots, Cockatiels, & Quakers, orange wings. Call for info. 467-2938.

TO GIVE AWAY: Beautiful long haired female cat, quiet & affectionate. Neutered & litter trained, interacts well w/other animals. Perfect pet for single person. 467-8477.

93 Yard Sale

DEADLINES FOR YARD, GARAGE SALES advertisements appearing in THURSDAY'S Editions of THE SEA COAST ECHO is 5 p.m. TUESDAYS.

EVERYDAY IS SALE DAY AT YOUR Bay St. Louis Goodwill Store, Bay Mall Shopping Center, Dunbar & Highway 90, Mon. thru Sat. 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. 467-7277.

96 Wanted To Buy

ANTIQUES, COLLECTIBLES, TOOLS, dolls, furniture. One piece or house full. Call 467-2628 days.

WE BUY (OLD) WATCHES \$\$. Bayou Jewelers, Waveland. 466-0425.

126 Campers/Motorhomes

1976 TRAVEL TRAILER: 30 ft., good condition, \$2,500. 255-8303.

VENTURE BUCKINGHAM POP-UP camper. Good condition, \$1,300. 466-4877.

Save \$\$\$... Subscribe!
The Sea Coast Echo

128 Boats & Motors

20' GRADY WHITE CUDDY CABIN; 24' Party Barge; 16' Flat boat; 2 sets trawling boards, 42" & 48". 467-3550.

SUN FISH - EXCELLENT CONDITION. \$600 firm. 467-5062.

130 Motorcycles

1983 HONDA MAGNA 700. RUNS great. \$1,750. 467-8502 or 601-893-1454.

FOR SALE: 1974 BMW, \$1,800. 467-3191.

133 Auto Parts/Service

QUALITY AUTO, DIESEL REPAIR Service. 8201 Hwy. 90 E., Waveland. 601-466-9987.

WE BUY JUNK CARS: CALL ANYTIME. 467-5558.

136 Automobiles

1969 MERCEDES BENZ 300 SEL, black w/black leather interior. P.S., P.B., P.W., loaded! \$3,500. Very rare. Serious inquiries only. 466-4868.

1989 NISSAN 240 SX, GOOD condition. \$4200/obo. 467-5388.

1991 GEO HATCHBACK, NO AIR, no radio. Only 28,000 miles, gets 49 mpg. No offers. First \$1,900 drives it away. 467-5951.

1991 OLDS CUTLASS SUPREME, excellent condition, one owner. Can be seen at 112 Court St., color, blue. 467-5662 or 467-4613. \$6,900.

1991 PONTIAC CONVERTIBLE DELUXE. Has all extras including electric windows, am/fm cassette, etc. Extra fine condition. Very low miles. Must sacrifice for just 1/2 of book price at 812 A Hwy. 90. \$4,975.

67 MUSTANG - AM/FM STEREO, cassette w/equalizer, PS, PB, air conditioner, security alarm. 99% restored, \$10,000 obo. 467-7360. 467-4602.

68 DODGE CORONET: 383 ENGINE, runs good, \$600. Call after 5:00 PM 255-2676.

93 MAZDA PROTOGE: 4-dr, 5-speed, A/C, P/W, P/L, AM/FM Cassette, P/S, tinted windows. Moving, must sell! \$8,995. 466-2838, 467-4266.

AUTO INSURANCE WITH MONTHLY PAYMENTS as low as \$24. Call Paul Smith Insurance Agency, 467-4607 or 467-1152.

GRANDMA SELLING HER 1988 EAGLE auto. Air, power locks. Kept up. \$3,500. 467-7548. Must see.

145 Roommates Wanted

NEED ROOMMATE, WILL SHARE quality waterfront home. Casino employees welcome. \$200/month, portion utilities. Day 688-3074, after 5 p.m. 463-9910.

146 Rooms For Rent

ROOM AND BOARD, \$125/week. For more information call 466-0294.

147 Apt. For Rent

1 BR., STOVE, REF., DISHWASHER, large. Located upstairs, 112 Court St., Treutel Building, BSL. \$375 per month with \$200 deposit. 467-5662, 8a.m.-5p.m.

EFFICIENCY APARTMENT FOR RENT. Cable & utilities furnished. 467-8245.

FURNISHED APT. ON THE WATER, private entrance in raised home. Smoke & pet free environment. Washer/dryer and utilities included. Minutes to BSL. \$100/week. 466-2573.

GULF GROVE APARTMENTS - 1, 2 and 3 bedrooms. \$100 deposit, ask about our 2 bedroom special. Corner of Hwy. 90 & Waveland Ave. Waveland. 467-3122.

MANOR HOUSE APARTMENTS: 1 & 2 bedrooms, close to shopping, beach, school, etc... Monday-Friday 8:30AM-5:30PM, Saturday, Sunday by appointment. Ask about our Bonanza. 467-6742.

NEW FOURPLEX APARTMENT completely furnished. One bedroom, living room, dining room, bath. Carpet and central ac & heat. Water and garbage paid. \$375/month, plus \$200 deposit. 467-8401.

OAK PARK APARTMENTS: Unique 2 bedrooms with private patio or balcony. Open Monday-Friday, 9-5 P.M., Saturday, 9-12 noon. Special \$100.00 deposit. 467-6829.

ONE BEDROOM, ONE BATH, PARTIALLY furnished. Available immediately. \$350/month. 504-948-6683.

ONE BEDROOM FURNISHED, HARDWOOD floors, ceiling fans, a/c, private entrance. \$350 plus electric. Available now. 466-0135.

SIGNATURE LAKE APARTMENTS. One bedroom, starting at \$330, Two bedroom starting at \$375; three bedroom at \$450. Section 8 welcome. 452-9901.

SUBLET ONE BEDROOM APT. Completely furnished, in French Quarter. Long or short term. 466-2956 or 504-581-3602.

WATERFRONT, 1500 sf, 2 BR, DINING RM, all kitchen appliances, fireplace, lots of closets, 2 lg decks. Pet free environment. \$500/mo plus deposit. 467-6849.

148 Mobile Homes For Rent

2 BEDROOM, 1 BATH, WATERFRONT Mobile home near I-10 & Hwy. 90. AC/Heat, refrigerator & stove. Pet free & smoke free environment. \$285/mo, deposit. 467-1380.

2 BEDROOM, 1 BATH, GOOD location. \$300/mo, deposit required. 504-283-2144.

FOR RENT: 2 BR. TRAILER, partially furnished. All appliances, central h/a, on 2 lots. BSL area. Possible owner financing. 467-9807.

FOR RENT: WATERFRONT, OFF 603/Shoreline Park. Furnished 2 BR. trailer. Pet free environment. Washer/dryer. \$300/mo plus deposit. 864-6008.

KILN DELISLE ROAD: 100X500 WITH two houses, one 4 bedroom brick plus 1 bedroom house. Only \$63,000 must see. Gardache Real Estate 467-4907.

LARGE LOT, OAK TREES, GOOD neighborhood, 2 BR/1 BA cottage, separate storage bldg., \$37,500. 909 Seers, Waveland. office/466-4550, home/466-4539.

NEW HOMES \$85 - \$95.000 LAKESHORE area. 467-7795.

NOTICE INVESTORS: \$17,200. Great rental on four nice lots. 900 sq. ft., 85% complete. Call before 3p.m. 864-7025.

ONE YEAR OLD 3BR/2BA, FIREPLACE, range, dishwasher, central air/heat pump, ceiling fans, all electric, fully carpeted, \$79,000. Call 466-4336.

RENT TO OWN \$65,000

NEWLY CONSTRUCTED house, only \$5000 down, notes \$575 includes taxes and insurance. You qualify regardless of any credit problems. Gardache Real Estate 467-4907.

LIKE NEW, 4 BEDROOM MOBILE Home. Small down, low payments. 601-831-8020.

LOOK!! 1ST TIME BUYERS PROGRAM: Mobile Homes. 800-808-0628.

NICE TRAILER FOR SALE, BAY St. Louis area. Must move trailer. \$2,500/note \$289/mo. 601-887-9705.

OAKWOOD ANNIVERSARY SPECIAL. Doublewide - \$279/mo. 601-831-8020.

TAKE YOUR PICK OF 3 1995, 16x80 repurposed mobile homes. All include free delivery, cent. a/c, stove & refrig., completely cleaned & ready to be moved into. Payments from approx. \$305/monthly & \$500/down is all it takes. Qualifying is easier with a bank repo'd home. Call Scott Tebo, 388-7773.

2 BR/1 BA DUPLEX ON WAVELEND Ave. \$450/mo, \$450/deposit. Central a/h & fenced yard. Call Chari. 467-3777 or 466-9898.

2 BR. HOUSE, HWY. 90, Waveland. \$300/mo., plus dep. 466-0135.

2 BR, UNFURNISHED HOUSE in Waveland. Walking distance to beach. Pet free environment. \$425/mo., plus deposit. 467-4677.

3 BR/2BA. BRICK HOME. CENTRAL a/h, deck, \$425/month. 467-4840.

DIAMONDHEAD: 3 BR/2BA, GREAT room & den, fireplace. Very clean. Pet free environment. \$750/mo. plus deposit. 467-7345.

LARGE 1 BR/1BA COTTAGE, BSL. Near Bay, fenced yard, pet & smoke free environment. \$275/mo plus deposit. 467-1380.

LOOKING FOR A RENTAL? CALL US! Ashman Mollere Realty Incorporated. 467-5454.

NEW HOMES AVAILABLE FOR RENT in Diamondhead. Starting at \$800/mo, deposit required. Call 601-466-2731, between 6:30-pm-8:30pm.

NICE TWO BEDROOM, ONE BATH home, many extras. \$490/month, deposit/lease. For more info. call 467-7972.

WAVELAND: 2 BR, 1 BA., 1920's restored cottage. All electric (Ms Power), refrigerator and stove, a/c/heat pump and ceiling fans. Pet free environment. Ideal for single or couple. 504-626-7675 or 467-5031.

FOR SALE/RENT: 2/3 BR, 3/2 BA home w/ pool. \$900/mo; 3 BR/1BA cottage, unfurnished. \$525/mo. 452-3550.

151 Furn. Houses For Rent

BY OWNER: SHORELINE PARK, Unit 2, lots & 31, block 28-A, 50-200 ft, back to back lots. Between Ave. A & B. \$2,900 for both/obo. Call Billie @ 1-888-393-3245. No agents, please.

FOR SALE: 2 LOTS IN KLEIN Subdivision. 467-1498.

LARGE LOT, IN BEAUTIFUL PECAN Park subdivision. Also rent to own properties available. Gardache Real Estate. 467-4907.

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Public Notice

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LEGAL NOTICE
ORDER OF THE MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF MARINE RESOURCES TO CLOSE CERTAIN OYSTER HARVESTING AREAS IN MISSISSIPPI BY ORDER OF THE MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF MARINE RESOURCES THE FOLLOWING AREAS OF MISSISSIPPI THAT HAD BEEN OPENED TO THE HARVESTING OF OYSTERS ARE HEREBY CLOSED EFFECTIVE 4:450 P.M. ON MONDAY, THE 20TH DAY OF APRIL, 1996 AND UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.

AREA N WATERS
ALL AREA "N" CONDITIONALLY APPROVED WATER ENCLOSED BY THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED LINE:

The shall commence at a point due south of Mengo Avenue in Pass Christian, MS, on a line drawn easterly between Beacon Fl. R. 4s, 17n, 4m "2", on the western edge of the Square Handkerchief Shoal, and Gulfport Channel, then running easterly, 2.5m "17n, 4m "2", thence westerly along said line to Beacon Fl. R. 4s, 17n, 4m "2", thence south-southwesterly along said line between said Beacon "2" and Intercoastal Waterway Beacon Ok. Fl. 17n, 21l "21" to a point of intersection with a line drawn from the most easterly point on the southern shore of the mouth of Mengo Avenue, then running due east along said line to longitude 89° 20' 00" E, thence southerly along said line to a point of intersection with a line drawn through Beacon Fl. R. 2, 5sec, 17n, 3m "4P" and Beacon Fl. G. 4sec, 17n, 5m "16P", thence running easterly along said line to said Beacon "2", thence running easterly along said line to the east said from Beacon "4P" to a point of intersection with a line drawn north-northwesterly from the westernmost tip of Cat Island and southernmost point on the shoreline due south of Mengo Avenue, thence running north-northeast to a point on the northern tip of Pass Christian. This area includes the northern portion of Pass Christian reef and portions of the Pass Christian reef.

THESE AREAS ARE BEING CLOSED BECAUSE OF RAINFALL WHICH MAY HAVE CAUSED FECAL CONTAMINATION WHICH COULD EXCEED THOSE SPECIFIED WARRANTING CLOSURE OF AN AREA IN THEIR RESPECTIVE MANAGEMENT PLAN CONTAINED IN ATTACHMENT A OF ORDINANCE 1,007.

THESE AREAS ARE HEREBY DEEMED NOT DECANTED SALTWATER AND OYSTER REEFS LYING IN SAID CLOSED AREAS ARE HEREBY DEEMED AND DETERMINED TO BE CONTINUED ON OTHERWISE UNFIT FOR CONSUMPTION.

SAID AREAS SHALL REMAIN CLOSED UNTIL SUCH TIME AS THE MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF MARINE RESOURCES CONFORM TO THEIR MANAGEMENT PLAN CRITERIA. MARINE CALIFORM COUNTS ARE AGAIN IN ACCEPTABLE LEVELS, AND OYSTERS ARE DEEMED SAFE FOR HARVESTING BY ORDER OF THE MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF MARINE RESOURCES.

OPEN TUES. THE 29TH DAY OF APRIL, 1996

E. G. WOODS
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
DEPARTMENT OF MARINE RESOURCES

5/6/96

NOTICE OF AMENDED RESOLUTION

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that:

RESOLUTION SPECIFYING THE TIME, PLACE AND PROCEDURES BY WHICH ALL MEETINGS OF THE DIAMONDHEAD WATER AND SEWER DISTRICT SHALL BE HELD

has been amended as follows:

(1) **MONTHLY MEETINGS:** The regular monthly meeting of the Diamondhead Water and Sewer District will be held on the 2nd Monday of each and every month. Such monthly meeting may, at its conclusion, be adjourned, or it may be adjourned to another date and time so long as such continuation of the meeting is approved by a majority of the members present and noted in the Minutes. There is no limit to the number of times a monthly meeting may be continued so long as the above procedure is completed with and continuance does not exceed 30 days.

Said Resolution was adopted by affirmative vote of a majority of the members of the Diamondhead Water and Sewer District Board of Commissioners, present and voting, the Chairman declared the motion and Resolution carried and the same was adopted and approved on the 14th day of August, 1996.

E. G. WOODS
Chairman
Norman Schuback, Secretary

5/6/96

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

In the Matter of the Estate of CLAIRE CASSIDY CONWAY

BY: JO ANN SMITH

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

TO: ALL CREDITORS

Letters Testimonial having been granted on the 21st day of February, 1996, by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, to the undersigned Executrix upon the Estate of Claire Cassidy Conway, deceased, stating that all persons who have claims against said estate, to present the same to the Clerk of the court for probate and registration according to the law within ninety (90) days from the first publication of this notice or they will be forever barred.

This the 19th day of April, 1996.

Jo Ann Smith, Executor

4/28, 5/5, 5/12/96

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

CHARLES MCFARLAND, PLAINTIFF

vs DENNIS LOWERY, ETALS, DEFENDANTS

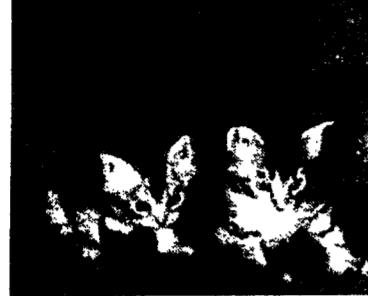
PUBLICATION SUMMONS

CAUSE NO. 96-0301

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